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THREE U. S. ARMIES SMASH GERMAN LINES; TANKS ADVANCE 27 MILES TOWARD BERLIN

U. S. Carrier Pilots Destroy 8 Japanese Ships

Two Destroyers, 6 Other Ships Heavily Bombed

Convoy Found in East China Sea Put Out of Action

By MORRIE LANDSBERG

UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, Monday, March 26—(AP)—United States carrier pilots destroyed an eight-ship Japanese convoy Saturday west of the East China sea island of Amami in the Ryukyu group while fast battleships were bombarding Minami Daito, Tony island about 230 miles southeast.

The actions were a continuation of the carrier strikes Vice Adm. Marc A. Mitscher began against the Japanese homeland March 18.

Nimitz Announces Attacks

The carrier action was announced today, twenty-four hours after fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz reported the battleship bombardments, which sent surface ships firing their sixteen-inch explosive shells into targets only a few hundred miles south of Tokyo itself.

Both these actions preceded by only a few hours Sunday morning's destructive B-29 raid on Nagoya. The Superforts left much of the huge Misubishi aircraft engine plant in ruins as they attacked from daringly low levels with both demolition and incendiary bombs. Three B-29s were lost.

Sink Three Cargo Vessels

The carrier plane attack sank three large cargo vessels, two destroyers and three other escort vessels—possibly destroyer escorts or gunboats.

Nimitz said the action occurred west of Amami, which would place the attack in the East China sea, less than 500 miles from the coast of China.

Amami Gunto (group) is one of the most important of the Ryukyu chain of islands linking the Japanese homeland with Formosa to the south.

The action extended Mitscher's concerted bombing of the Japanese homeland and adjacent Okinawa and Ryukyu islands to the south into the seventh day of the last night, the most damaging and extended carrier action of the war against the Pacific enemy's homeland.

Airfield Bombed

Nimitz also reported Seventh army air force Liberators bombed Chichi Jima's airfield March 23. On the same date, army Mustang fighters bombed and strafed Japanese naval installations and air facilities on the same island. Other army Liberators bombed Marcus island storage areas.

Fourth marine aircraft wing pilots, attacking through intense anti-aircraft fire, destroyed a bridge, a large building and started fires on Babelthuap in the Palaus in Sunday. Marine Corsair fighters on the same date bombed installations on Yap in the Western Carolines.

Jewish Brigade Battles Germans

By SID FEDER

ROME, March 25—(AP)—The first and only completely Jewish brigade is operating with the British Eighth army in Italy, Allied headquarters announced today as patrol raids continued along the stalemated front.

Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of Allied ground forces, said he "was delighted" to have the Jewish outfit under his command and pleased that "the Jewish people who have suffered so terribly at the hands of the Nazis should now be directly represented by this frontline fighting force."

Members of the brigade wear blue and white arm insignia with the Star of David superimposed on a shield.

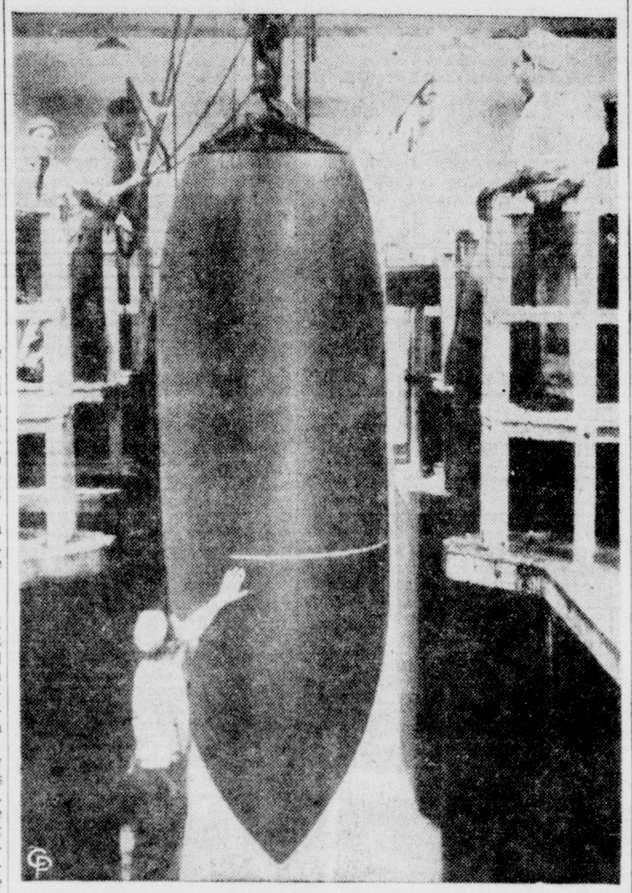
The brigade is led by Brig. Gen. Frank Benjamin, a Jew in the regular British army. It has been involved in patrol actions since the early part of March and several Germans were killed recently by a patrol leader who is a German refugee whose family disappeared after being deported to Poland.

Many of the brigade's members previously were held in Nazi concentration camps in Europe.

The brigade is a self-contained unit consisting of artillery, infantry, engineering, signal, transport, ordnance and medical units. The men were drawn from 35,000 volunteers and although it is estimated 1,000,000 Jewish soldiers are fighting on the Allied side this outfit is the only group specifically designated as a Jewish unit.

Headquarters announced a German raid in company strength was turned back by the Eighth army southeast of Cotignola with the enemy suffering numerous casualties.

BRITAIN'S NEW 11-TON BOMB



HERE IS THE NEW ELEVEN-TON BOMB—the Titan of the blockbusters which Britain has turned out to provide bigger and better punishment for Germany. Shown here in assembly, the 22,000 pound aerial bomb dwarfs the workmen who are putting one of the monsters together. Named the Volcano, the giant missile is being used against European targets heretofore considered impregnable.

U. S. Operation Of Coal Mines Appears Likely

By HAROLD W. WARD

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—The government reluctantly prepared today to step into the soft coal wage conferences if the next few crucial days do not end the deadlock between operators and John L. Lewis.

By next Saturday at midnight the present contract is due to expire and if Lewis has not agreed to extension, spasms of work interruption or a halt on a "no-contract, no-work" basis might well follow.

Miners Will Vote

On Wednesday the National Labor Relations Board will conduct, as a result of notice by miner President Lewis that a dispute existed, a nationwide strike vote among the 400,000 bituminous miners.

The United States Conciliation Service intends to hold off as long as a ray of light emanates from the present negotiations between committees representing operators and United Mine Workers.

War Labor Board Chairman George W. Taylor says "it's up to the conciliation service to move first; we have no immediate plans."

Sec. Perkins May Act

Neither Secretary of Labor Perkins, who directs the conciliation service and must therefore take the initiative among all government agencies, nor Secretary of Interior Ickes, who took over the mines and wrote the agreement ending the controversy two years ago, has been eager to act thus far.

Miss Perkins was reticent about her plans and one source close to Ickes said "he's not reaching" for the mines.

There was no guarantee that if President Roosevelt finds it advisable to order government seizure that he would again assign the job to Ickes. This time that task might go to the army.

30th Division Breaks Hitler's Defense on Rhine

By WES GALLAGHER AND ROBERT EUNSON

WITH THE UNITED STATES NINTH ARMY, March 25 (AP)—The famous "Old Hickory" Thirtieth division broke clear through Hitler's Rhine defenses into open country north of the Ruhr today in one of the most brilliant infantry successes of the war.

The Thirtieth troops found German resistance apparently completely disintegrated at a point eight miles from the Rhine, and jumped on tanks shortly after noon and "took off."

Smash German Lines

Every element of a breakthrough—such as characterized the armored-infantry gallops after the Roer river crossing and in dashes through France—was indicated. Field officers of the Thirtieth said the division had gone clear through organized German defense lines and "broken into the open."

The Thirtieth's surge carried it to the head of all other advances in the Twenty-first army group.

The United States Seventy-ninth division on the Thirtieth's flank made almost as good progress, but encountered some spotty German armored pockets which held it up slightly behind the Thirtieth.

Spearhead Ninth Army

These two veteran outfits spearheaded the Ninth army's burst across the Rhine, and the Thirtieth had a bridge over the historic river just fourteen hours and fifteen minutes after it launched its attack.

Resistance in front of the Thirtieth dwindled to almost nothing as the morning progressed and cooks, bakers and all sorts of odds and ends which characterize rear areas flowed into the prisoner cages.

Germans May Fight Last Round On Rhine Line, Elton Fay Says

By ELTON C. FAY
Associated Press War Analyst

There is growing possibility that the Nazis will fight out the last round of the war on the disintegrating Rhine line rather than fall back to a redoubt in the uplands.

If so, the decision will not be entirely of choice. The German command, its Rhine defenses slashed by a mounting number of bridgeheads, is confronted with the most difficult of all military maneuvers—disengaging.

Some of Hitler's most cherished troops, including the First parachute army, are engaged at the far northern end of the line. They can't let loose; Allied forces are at their throats;

German commentators speak vaguely of establishing new fronts. Setting up a new front across the flat land of Northern Germany, with transportation cut to pieces would be all but impossible.

How rapidly the Nazis' Rhine line is going to pieces is exemplified not only in the reports of new Allied crossings but in the swift linking up of airborne units with ground forces of the Allies on the lower Rhine bridgehead.

There has been a sudden acceleration in the rate of prisoners taken. Presumably, part of this is accounted for by the swift lunges of the Allied forces with resulting encirclement of small groups. But in part, the decline in the German will to

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Red Army Tank Forces Advance In Vienna Drive

Race to within 36 Miles of Austria in Unchecked Offensive

By ROMNEY WHEELER

LONDON, Monday, March 26 (AP)—Red army tank spearheads raced within thirty-six miles of Austria and seventy-seven miles southeast of Vienna yesterday as a second mighty Soviet army joined Russia's Vienna-bound offensive that was sweeping unchecked across industrial Western Hungary on a ninety-mile front.

While Marshal Feodor I. Tolbukhin's Third Ukraine army gained up to sixteen miles overnight, Premier Stalin announced that the second Ukraine army under Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky had joined the battle and gained twenty-eight miles in the initial phases of an offensive along the south bank of the Danube.

Advance on Komarom

The two powerful armies were within six miles southeast of Komarom, Danube river key to Vienna and Bratislava, had outflanked the great rail city of Gyor and were battering through Nazi defenses only four miles from the key communications center of Papa, Moscow disclosed.

Malinovsky's new offensive erupted as the vast eastern front appeared to be blazing into a full-scale spring offensive synchronizing with Anglo-American drives from the west. Berlin spoke of a new Soviet drive in southwestern Poland aimed at the Moravian gap leading into Czechoslovakia and on to Prague and Vienna.

Danzig Seems Doomed

At the same time, Premier Stalin, in a second order of the day, announced the fall of Heiligenbeil, last big enemy stronghold in East Prussia southwest of Koenigsberg. The Baltic ports of Danzig and Gdynia shelled and bombed by Russian artillery and planes, faced capture as the Russians took a suburb of Danzig and pushed closer to Gdynia.

Malinovsky's army, which until its present offensive had been poised on the north bank of the Danube, joined Tolbukhin's forces on the south bank after recapturing the ancient Hungarian capital of Esztergom, nineteen miles northwest of Budapest. The Germans had retaken Esztergom in their January attempt to relieve Budapest.

Malinovsky's army, under twenty-seven generals and a rear admiral of the Danube river naval flotilla, swept over all territory lost to the recent German counter-offensive, regained rich oil and coal deposits in the Vertes mountains west of Budapest and swept forward twenty-eight miles. More than 200 communities and 7,000 enemy troops were captured, boosting to 83,000 the enemy's losses in the two-army offensive.

Ukranians Sweep Ahead

Pushing west on a twenty-mile front, the Second Ukrainians swept along the Danube's bank as far as Duna-Almas, eleven miles east of Komarom, while spearheads a few miles south of the river drove on further to win Mocsa, six miles southeast of the key stronghold which lies astride both banks of the river.

These forces were fifty-nine miles southeast of the Slovak capital of Bratislava and twenty-four miles east of Gyor, great sixteen-way road and rail center considered an outer fortress of Vienna and northern anchor of the enemy's Raba river defense line protecting the approaches to Austria and its capital. Beyond these are the mountains in which the Nazis may attempt to make their last stand.

At the south end of his front, Malinovsky's troops captured Csaszar, sixteen miles south of Komarom and five miles east of Kisber rail center menaced by Tolbukin's troops only two miles on the southeast. At this point, the two armies linked to build up a solid ninety-mile front stretching from the Danube to the west shore of Lake Balaton.

Churchill Forgets To Duck in Time

LONDON, March 25 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill, in the Uniform of a colonel of the Royal Sussex regiment, forgot to duck in time when he paid a surprise visit to headquarters of the British third infantry division today and a signal wire whipped his cap off his head.

Better my hat than my head," he quipped.

Clark Gable Injured

HOLLYWOOD, March 25 (AP) — Clark Gable of the screen, injured slightly in a traffic accident, was in Cedars of LeBanon hospital today for treatment of a laceration on the right leg and chest bruises, his studio announced.

NAZIS TAKEN PRISONER AFTER TRAP CLOSED

THIS HUGE COLLECTION of German prisoners is but part of the great number taken by the United States Seventh Army after Nazi resistance had collapsed in the Saar and Palatinate. Many of these captives surrendered voluntarily when they learned they were caught in a pincers by the United States Third and Seventh Armies.

Efficiency in Torture:

Cruel Germans Murder Thousands Of Civilians in Prison Compound

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER

NATZWEILER, ALSACE, France, March 25 (AP)—Until France's liberation by the Allies Heinrich Himmler's Gestapo added Twentieth century efficiency to medieval torture methods at the Struthof concentration camp atop a vosges Mountain peak just above this village, French officials said today.

Statistics found by the French when they overtook Struthof showed 19,103 persons of various nationalities were domiciled in fifteen barracks on August 20, 1944. Their compound was surrounded by electrically charged barbed wire so that only one person, a Russian, ever escaped.

15,000 Cremated

Dr. Alain Doubourg, a French sanitation officer now in charge of the health of the present inmates, consisting chiefly of French collaborationists, estimated that from October, 1941 some 15,000 persons had been cremated.

French officials give this account: Russian and Poles were hanged from two gallows within sight of all inmates. Inmates of other nationalities if condemned to death were either gassed or shot through the neck.

Bodies were hauled to the ground floor, in the center of which was the cremation oven.

Sell Ashes to Relatives

The gestapo did a flourishing business with ashes—selling them in two types of urns to relatives. Earthen urns were cheaper than metal urns.

In another section of the barrcks was the lethal chamber. Condemned victims were placed in there thirty-two at one execution.

The Gestapo offered premiums to the young SS men who did the killing. For each they received six extra cigarettes, one pint of schnapps and sixty grams of sausage. After killing ten they were given a two-day furlough.

Priority List For Tire Users Issued by OPA

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—A priority list of occuations governing distribution of the limited supply of new passenger tires to eligible motorists was announced today by the OPA.

Drawn up with the help of the War Manpower Commission, the list covers all "B" and "C" card drivers but rates them in four groups with respect to their essentially to the war effort.

This preferential rating is necessary, OPA explained, because of the sharp reduction in the allocation of new tires for rationing.

The first priority group is limited almost entirely to persons whose occupations are of an emergency nature, and to workers at "must" war plants. Included are physicians, public health nurses, police, and war workers such as those producing urgently needed aircraft and ammunitions—projects facing a critical manpower shortage.

These plants will be designated after consultation with local WMC officials, OPA said.

In group 2 are persons employed in other essential plants and those whose occupations are highly important to the war effort. Examples are farmers, farm workers, and representatives of management, labor and government who recruit labor for essential establishments.

Group 3 covers such motorists as buyers for essential establishments and those who travel to such places to perform necessary technical services.

Group 4 takes in all other "B" and "C" drivers.

The Road to Berlin

[By The Associated Press]

Eastern front: Thirty-two miles (from Zellin).

Western front: United States Third Army: 235 miles (from river Main).

United States First Army: 266 miles (from Flammersfeld).

United States Ninth Army: 272 miles (from north of Wesel).

United States Seventh Army: 282 miles (from Worms).

Italian front: 544 miles (from Reno river).

Yanks Reported On Ryukyu Isles

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25 (AP)—Japan's Domei news agency reported without confirmation tonight (Sunday) that American troops, supported by intensive bombardment, had "attempted a landing" in the strategic Ryukyu islands Sunday morning (Japanese time) and fierce engagements were taking place.

Domei said the landings began at 7:30 a. m. on Akajima and Tokashiki islands near the main islands on Okinawa.

Massive Attack By First Army Plunging Ahead

By HAL BOYLE AND DON WHITEHEAD

WITH THE UNITED STATES FIRST ARMY, March 25—(AP)—United States First Army troops and armor drove nine miles east in a massive attack which began before dawn today, burst out of the Remagen-Erpel bridgehead on the road to Berlin and continued to plunge ahead.

Tanks and doughboys encountered opposition running from moderate on the right flank to heavy on the left flank which borders the strongly-defended industrial Ruhr district.

Whooping, dust-covered doughboys rode tanks in a series of leapfrog attacks.

Roll Germans Back

The push by powerfully-reinforced divisions rolled the Germans back eastward all along the line. One column speared six miles into Flammersfeld, fourteen and one-half miles east of the Rhine. Another attack carried four miles at the southern end of the bridgehead into Vallendar, three miles north of Coblenz.

This is another "St. Lo" for the First army. The whole secene is reminiscent of the last-out which broke German resistance at the base of the Cherbourg pennisula last July.

"We haven't been given any orders to stop," grinned one lean, gray-haired commander, "and we don't intend to slow up until we put on the brakes to keep from skidding into Berlin."

Crack Nazi Line

Task forces cracked the first thin wall of Nazi mobile guns and ditch defenses and rolled through beautiful Rhineland hills along roads leading east.

The assault caught the Germans building up forces to launch a counterblow against the northeastern end of the bridgehead.

Censorship permitted disclosure that the famous First infantry division had joined the bridgehead forces, along with the Ninth, Seventy-eighth, and Ninth infantry. The first division smashed back fourteen German counterattacks in twenty-four hours yesterday, took 500 prisoners, and moved ahead two

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Churchill Comes within 50 Yards Of Being Hit by a German Shell

By ROBERT EUNSON

WITH THE UNITED STATES NINTH ARMY, March 25 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill came within fifty yards of being hit by a German artillery shell today as he inspected the blaster Wesel bridge after a fifteen minute visit to the Ninth army's bridgehead east of the Rhine.

While the prime minister was peering through binoculars at the remains of battered Wesel, from the shattered western end of the bridge, a German artillery shell landed fifty yards away. Others crackled into the Rhine.

Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson, commander of the Ninth, insisted the prime minister retire back out of artillery range.

Churchill, Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, Field Marshal Sir Alan Brooke, chief of the British Imperial staff; Gen. Eisenhower, Allied supreme commander; and Gen. Omar N. Bradley, chief of Twelfth army group, met at the headquarters of Maj. Gen. John Anderson, commander of the American Sixteenth corps. Eisenhower was called away before the party crossed over to the east bank of the Rhine.

The prime minister made the crossings in an American landing craft.

While on the east bank the British leader was persuaded by Simpson not to walk to the nearest village because it had not yet been cleared of mines.

Yanks Approach Highway Leading To Nazi Capital

Third Army Springs Two New Crossings of Rhine River

LONDON, Monday, March 26 (AP)—The German armed forces radio reported today that new Allied airborne landings were made Sunday on the east bank of the Rhine river.

This report said landings were made "north and southeast of Wesel" and described the airborne forces as "strong."

By EDWARD KENNEDY

PARIS, Monday, March 26 (AP)—Three United States armies surged toward Berlin in breakthroughs yesterday, with Third army tanks setting the pace in a twenty-seven-mile sweep that carried forty miles beyond the Rhine and across a captured bridge over the river main possibly 235 miles from the enemy capital.

The United States Ninth army broke out into the open through the enemy's reaching distance of a Berlin superhighway, and was but ten miles from Essen, industrial heart of the Reich.

First Army Advances

The United States First Army burst the bonds of its Remagen-Erpel bridgehead between these two fronts in a general assault on a thirty-five-mile front that ground nine miles east in a massive attack on the road to Berlin and was roaring on unchecked.

The Third army sprang at least two new crossings of the Rhine south of Coblenz and was nearing a junction with the First army forces beyond the river. They last were reported only eleven miles apart.

The British Second army heightened the power of the grand western front offensive by pushing eight miles north of the Rhine onto the German plain, hurdling one river on the Berlin route and slashing across a superhighway running to Northern Holland.

With four firm lodgments along 200 miles of the Rhine's east bank from Rees to Worms, German resistance was disintegrating almost everywhere in this spectacular day of gains.

Patton Spears Breakthrough

It was Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's famed Fourth armored division which speared the breakthrough along Germany's waist, and cut across the formidable river main by capturing a bridge intact somewhere southeast of Frankfurt-on-the-Main.

(This might have been the bridge at Aschaffenburg, which is twenty-miles southeast of Frankfurt and is about thirty-eight miles west of the Rhine.)

The Fourth was divided into two lightning-fast combat commands, and at last reports it still was going strong under a security blackout to keep its movements from the bewildered enemy.

A front dispatch said the surge beyond the Rhine was going even faster than Patton's drive up to the Rhine, and it was sweeping up German soldiers by the thousands.

Fifth Near Frankfurt

Frankfurt itself was only ten miles in front of the Fifth infantry division, which made the Third army's original Rhine crossing, and the industrial city was reported being evacuated tonight of its 546,649 population.

The Paris radio reported a high Nazi official had announced over the German radio that all civilians in the Ruhr between Duesseldorf and Dortmund would have to be evacuated immediately. That might include Essen, since the Duesseldorf-Dortmund sector embraces most of the Ruhr industrial valley.

Frankfurt-on-Main, a city of 546,000 population, evidently had been bypassed, as positions forty miles beyond the Rhine would put the Fourth armored division nearly twenty miles northeast of the city.

Gen. Eisenhower's victory offensive was going full blast.

(The American broadcasting station in Europe told the German people that Eisenhower's headquarters reported "approximately one-quarter" of the Rhine's east bank was in Allied hands, OWI reported.)

The United States Ninth army was headed for a knock-out of the Ruhr, without whose factories Germany cannot longer wage war.

It was "out in the open" in what looked like a decisive breakthrough and was almost in sight of a super highway to Berlin.

The British Second army with Canadian elements had driven eight miles north of the Rhine and was across the Issel river—first barrier on the North German plain.

The U. S. First army was likewise headed Berlinward through Germany's scenic hills in an operation of such scope that a front dispatch likened it to the St. Lo breakthrough in Normandy.

The United States Third army's fourth armored division was so deep into Germany and traveling so fast, that tankmen were sending back urgent calls for transportation for the thousands of prisoners captured.

Teen Age Club Dance Attended By 358 Persons

The Teen Age Club dance held Saturday evening at the Masonic temple, was attended by 358 young people. During the dance, the game room, in the basement of the temple, was in operation and members of the club enjoyed the large variety of games installed.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Brooks assisted M. and Mrs. James H. Woodworth as host and hostess at the affair. It was announced that there will be no dance Saturday, April 7.

Over 800 young people are now enrolled as members of the Teen Age club, Fred P. Keyser, chairman, announced last night. The club, sponsored by Salem Chapter, No. 18, Royal Arch Masons, was organized for all students of local high schools, between the ages of 15 and 19, and at present all high schools in Cumberland are represented in the enrollment.

Married in Church

Miss Lillian Grace Breighner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Breighner, 137 Elder street, and Seaman Charles Paul Miller, United States Maritime Service, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Miller, 4 Grand avenue, were married at noon Saturday in the United Brethren church. The Rev. C. K. Welch, pastor, officiated at the ceremony.

Following the ceremony, the couple left on a brief wedding trip to New York, following which the bridegroom will return to duty. The bride will reside with her parents for the duration.

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Navy Mothers Club To Send Delegates To Philadelphia

Representatives of the local Navy Mothers club will attend a rally sponsored by the Navy Mothers Club of Philadelphia, May 15, 16 and 17, it was announced at a meeting of the group Friday evening in the Veterans of Foreign War home. Mrs. Mary Reed, commander; Mrs. Pauline Shaffer, Mrs. Marie Frankfort and Mrs. Virginia Brant were appointed as delegates to the affair.

Two new members, Mrs. Pearl Sulser and Mrs. Oliver Clevinger, were enrolled in the club. The boxes for servicemen were sent to Ramon Rice, fireman, second class, and John F. Pitts, seaman first class, serving in the United States Navy.

It was announced that the sewing project, scheduled for Wednesday, will not be held this week, due to Holy week, but will be held the following Wednesday. Prizes in games were won by Mrs. Goldie Hare, Mrs. Anna Neus and Mrs. Laura Mitchell. Refreshments were served.

Forty-five members attended.

Women of Moose Initiate New Members

Fifteen new members were initiated into the Women of the Moose, Chapter 914, Thursday evening at the Moose home. Mrs. Margaret Stitcher, senior, presided.

Mrs. Mary Humbertson and Mrs. Mae Keister announced that $225 was cleared on the supper and bazaar sponsored recently by the group. The proceeds will be distributed among the twelve committee chairmen for use in their various projects.

Miss Gertrude Williams was given an award for selling the largest number of tickets and prizes for securing the most new members were given to Miss Hilda Haines and Miss Anna Dawson.

A talk on "Co-operation" was given by Miss Williams. Plans were made for a covered dish supper to be held at the next meeting. Mrs. Grace Thomas, Frostburg Chapter, will be guest of honor and each member will contribute toward the dinner.

Miss Haines, homemaking chairman, will be in charge of the meeting to be held April 12. A program will be presented.

Ursuline Freshmen Present Program

The faculty and student body of Ursuline academy were entertained by pupils of the freshman class at an assembly program Friday morning in the school auditorium. The program featured a Latin playlet, translated into English. The title of the presentation was "Julia," and a double cast was used in the production.

Those participating included Patricia Paupe, JoAnn White, Suzanne McLane, Eileen Kelly, Carole Cloonan, Joan Reinhard, Patricia Shreiber, Betty Fair, Anna Marie Kelly, Patricia Geatz, Ruth Hammersmith, Mary Catherine Nierman, Angela Condon, Ruth Lee Mackert, Louise McMullen, Rosemary Blake, Patricia Power, Eloise Ackerman and Patricia San Giovanni.

Incidental music during the program was played by Ruth Hammersmith.

Faithful Workers Hold Lenten Service

The Faithful Workers Class of Kingsley Methodist church held a lenten service Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Thelma Wigal, 412 Park street.

A prayer by Mrs. Wigal, teacher of the class, opened the service. The devotional program included the singing of hymns; recitation of religious poetry; Bible reading, and the rendition of sacred music.

Plans for a Mothers' day program were made at the brief business session. Chairmen selected to have charge of the affair include Mrs. Ethel Mathews, Mrs. Freda Nine, and Miss Evelyn Rae Frankfort. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Winifred White and Mrs. Romaine Steininger, LaVale, April 26.

Charles Foster Weds Miss Sylvia Forgues

Miss Sylvia Fontelle Forgues, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus J. Forgues, Seattle, Washington, and Sgt. Charles F. Forster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Forster, 438 Walnut street, were married December 25, in the rectory of St. Joseph's church, Seattle.

Sgt. Forster is a graduate of Allegany high school and is serving as chief clerk in the Finance office, Fort Lewis, Washington. Before his entrance into the armed forces he was employed in the credit department of the Potomac Edison Company.

Sgt. and Mrs. Forster will visit the home of the bridegroom's parents at an early date.

Marriage Is Announced

Miss Mary Eldred Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Rose, Bedford Valley, Pa., and Sgt. Jack Clyde Shatzer, Chambersburg, Pa., were married Tuesday evening, February 20, at Centerville Methodist church.

The Rev. Edwin Keehner, pastor, officiated at the ceremony. Miss Flor Rose was her sister's only attendant and Glentis Street, Bedford, was best man. Mrs. Paul Rose, aunt of the bride, played traditional nuptial selections.

Sgt. Shatzer reported to Santa Ana, Calif., March 7, for reassignment. He recently returned from twenty-nine months service in Italy.

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Democratic Women Will Make Plans For Card Party

The United Democratic Women's Club of Cumberland will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Central Y. M. C. A. Final plans will be made for the card party to be sponsored by the group Tuesday, April 3, at the Queen City Hotel at 8:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Joseph H. Griffith will preside at the meeting. Mrs. Ada Conley Long has been appointed general chairman of the card party, with Mrs. John L. Reed as co-chairman. Members of the various committees include Mrs. Katherine Moore Landis, Mrs. H. P. Loughrie, Mrs. Joseph Squillace, Mrs. Ruby Reed and Mrs. Gertrude Rowley, tickets; Mrs. Anna K. Reed, Mrs. J. B. Dowling, Mrs. Eva Williams and Mrs. Marshall Twigg, prizes; Mrs. Mary Noonan, Mrs. Paul Stein, Mrs. Thomas H. Dawson and Mrs. Harvey Heckles, refreshments, and Mrs. Agnes Barley, chairman of games.

Members wishing to donate prizes for the affair have been requested to contact Mrs. Griffith, president, or Mrs. Reed.

Miss Mable Blackburn Becomes Bride of Charles Guertler, Jr.

Miss Mabel E. Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blackburn, Keyser, W. Va., and Petty Officer Charles F. Guertler, Jr., United States Navy, Baltimore, were married February 14 in the First Methodist church, Alameda, Calif.

The Rev. Charles E. Lord officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. Leona Mann, Battle Creek, Mich., was matron of honor and Caesar Ventura, navy, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Keyser high school and was employed by the Glenn L. Martin Company, Baltimore. The bridegroom, who attended Towson State Teachers college, is serving with the blueprint department of the navy.

At the present the couple is residing in Alameda, where the bridegroom is stationed at the naval air base.

Livingston-Cornell Circle To Have Dinner Meeting

A dinner-meeting will be held by members of the Livingston-Cornell Circle of the First Presbyterian church this evening at 5:30 o'clock in the lecture hall of the church. The devotional will be in charge of Miss Kathleen Keenan and a book review will be given by Mrs. G. Morgan Smith.

A meeting of the executive board of the Woman's Association will be held Wednesday afternoon ,April 4, at 1:30 o'clock in the church house. The regular meeting of the association will be held Monday evening, April 9, in the lecture hall and members of the Livingston-Cornell Circle will be hostesses. The program will include selections by the Betty Washburn quartet.

Centary W.S.C.S. Will Present Play April 29

A meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Centenary Methodist church, Bedford road, was held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. C. C. Boor. Mrs. John Hardinger, vice president, was in charge of the business session.

The devotional was led by Mrs. Wesley C. Light and the Rev. J. William Merchant gave a mission study from the book "Christ after Chaos".

A play, "Society versus the Church", will be presented by the society, April 29, at the church. The next meeting of the group will be held at the home of Mrs. Hardinger, Bedford road, April 27.

Mary Jane Galford Honored on Birthday

Mrs. Evelyn Galford, 106 Hanover street, entertained at her home Saturday, at a party in honor of the seventh birthday of her daughter, Mary Jane.

The color scheme of the decorations was pink and white and a large tiered birthday cake was used as a table centerpiece. Games were played and prizes were won by Sandra Simmons, LaVern McClellan and James Hayman.

Twenty-two children attended the party.

4-H Girls Meet

A meeting of the Pleasant Grove 4-H Girls Club was held Friday evening at the home of Leona Michaels, Baltimore pike. Mrs. Virginia Clark, leader, presided, and a hemming demonstration was given by Leah Drake, Donna Zembower and Joan Minke.

An article on Victory gardens was read by Charlotte Northcraft and an open forum discussion followed. A program of group singing was presented. Plans were made for an Easter egg hunt to be held at the home of Roberta Wilson, April 2, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Church Group Meets

A meeting of Zone No. 2, Women's Society of Christian Service, was held Friday morning at Centre Street Methodist church, with Mrs. E. F. Phillips, zone leader, presiding.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. S. R. Neel, vice president of the district. The theme of the program was "Doors of Progress, 1945". The presentation was made under headings signifying the work and theory of the organization.

Honored at Party

Miss Jeannine Davis was honored by friends at a surprise party at her home, 306 Oldtown road, Friday evening.

Games were played and prizes awarded. Music and dancing furnished entertainment for the remainder of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Twenty guests were present.

Personals

Mrs. Earl Gauntz, West View Terrace, has returned after visiting friends in Meyersdale, Pa.

Mrs. Lawrence Grant, 901 Bedford street, is home from Memorial Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. A.G.T. Twigg have returned from the Pacific Coast where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Twigg, Carlsbad, Calif. Sgt. Twigg is stationed at the Marine Hospital in Camp Pendleton. Mrs. Twigg is the former Miss Sarah Oliver of LaVale.

Mrs. William L. Wilson, Jr., returned to Miami, Fla., after visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William A. Gracie, 630 Washington street.

Miss Frances Rudd, student at Averett College, Danville, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Rudd, 827 Gephart drive.

Mrs. James W. Sills, 17 Weber street, returned from a visit with her husband S. 1-c James W. Sills, DeLand, Fla. Seaman Sills has reported to Armed Guard School for one month at Camp Shelton, Va.

Mrs. Jack Green of Davis, W. Va., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ormand Howe, Forster avenue.

Earl V. Diehl, Wiley Ford, is a patient at Allegany hospital.

James T. Shrout returned to his home in Wiley Ford from Allegany Hospital, where he was a patient following an accident to his hand in a cement machine.

Miss Grace Hiser, 456 North Centre street, is home from Memorial hospital where she underwent an operation.

Events in Brief

Forty-two young women took entrance tests at Allegany hospital, Saturday for the National League of Nursing Education. The June class will be selected from the successful applicants. The tests were given by Dr. Martin Hamrick, professor of psychology, Frostburg State Teachers college. Miss Carmela Guarino, instructor of nurses at Allegany hospital, acted as proctor.

Rabbi Samuel Sobel, of B'er Chayim Congregation, will be guest speaker this evening at the meeting of the Mt. Royal Parent-Teacher Association at the school. Eugene May will preside at the brief business session.

Reservations for the banquet for the graduates of the Memorial hospital school of nursing, to be held by the Western Maryland-Memorial Alumnae Association, March 31, at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country Club, should be made today with Miss Ruth Cornwell or Miss Mae Matlick.

The V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home. Officers will be elected. Refreshments will be served during the social hour, with Mrs. Virginia Brant in charge.

The Child Guidance Club will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Girl Scout house, Greene street. Mrs. Miriam Midkin will be guest speaker. Following the meeting, husbands of members will be entertained.

The Mary Martha Bible Class of Centre Street Methodist church will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the parlor of the church. Miss Ruth Screen will preside and two books will be reviewed by Miss Mary G. Walsh.

Minister, Author Will Address Local Scottish Rite Bodies

The Scottish Rite bodies annual observance of Maundy Thursday will be held with the ceremony of "Extinguishing the Lights." It will begin with a dinner at 6:30 o'clock at the Masonic temple. Wise Master Victor D. Heisey, thirty-second degree, will act as toastmaster.

The principal speaker of the evening, following the dinner will be Dr. I. Marshall Page, minister of the First Presbyterian church, Ellicott City. His subject for the evening will be, "Bearers of the Light." He is author of two books, "Buckingham on the Eastern Shore of Maryland," and "The Life Story of Francis Makemie." Dr. Page, for the past two years, has conducted the radio program, "It Happened in Maryland."

There will also be a special musical program by a male quartet.

Easter Sunday morning at 10:15 o'clock, the ceremony of "Re-lighting the Lights," will be observed.

Sixty-Four Groceries Are Violating OPA Rules, Survey Shows

Following a survey of 256 grocery stores in Allegany county, it was reported Friday by price panel clerks of the local War Price and Rationing Board that sixty-four of the stores were violating OPA regulations.

Thirty-three stores were found to be violating regulations regarding ceiling prices, while thirty-one stores were not displaying price list posters properly, it was stated.

Masons Present Books To Local Library

The Cumberland Scottish Rite Masonic bodies have presented the Cumberland free public library with a number of books on Masonic subjects, according to Miss Mary Walsh, librarian.

Among the Masonic books are: Hall's, "The Lost Keys of Freemasonry;" Newton's "The Builders," "Religion of Freemasonry" and "The Great Light in Masonry;" Robbins' "English Speaking Freemasonry;" Tatsch's, "Freemasonry in the Thirteen Colonies;" Hunt's, Masonic Symbolism;" Shepherd's, "Landmarks of Freemasonry;" Pound's, "Masonic Jurisprudence," and Morse's, "Freemasonry in the American Revolution."

The book committee of Meredith Lodge of Perfection of Scottish Rite Masons, appointed by Dr. J. Russell Cook, venerable master, was composed of Julius E. Schindler, chairman; Fred B. Driscoll and Faye B. Thompson.

Will Is Probated

James F. Richards, of Luke, was named ole beneficiary and executor in the will of Mrs. Ida Bell Richards, which has been admitted to probate here in orphans court. Mrs. Richards died January 23. The will was drawn June 17, 1943 and was witnessed by Margaret Ann Whitworth and Naomi M. Flanagan.

Mrs. Greenwade, Keyser Musician, Dies in Hospital

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., March 25—Mrs. Nyta Shaffer Greenwade, 104 Overton place, Keyser, W. Va., supervisor of music at Bruce high school, Westernport, died at noon today in Potomac Valley hospital, following a relapse from an operation performed last Tuesday.

A daughter of Joseph H. and Margaret Geldbaugh Shaffer, she was born in Keyser. She was graduated from Keyser high school and taught for several years in the Keyser elementary school. She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran church where she served as organist for a number of years. She was also a member of the West Virginia Legionettes, a quartette which won national honors at the Legion's national convention four different times.

Mrs. Greenwade is survived by her husband, J. Perry Greenwade, a sister, Mrs. Allen Smith, Cumberland, and two brothers, Chester W. Shaffer, Cumberland, and Winifred Shaffer, Keyser.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the Trinity Lutheran church.

Mrs. Likin Dies

Mrs. Ida Belle Likin, 76, widow of Albert Wright Likin, died Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George McNeill, 15 Carol avenue, Keyser. She had been in ill health several years. A daughter of Thomas and Margaret Fleek Thrush, she was born in Mineral county, W. Va.

Besides her daughter she leaves another daughter, Miss Beulah Likin, Keyser; three sons, Welby Likin, La Feria, Texas; Carl Likin, Raymondville, Texas, and Harry Likin, Keyser; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Roberts and Mrs. Clarence Harrison, Antioch, W. Va.; two brothers, George Thrush, Cumberland, and Ray Thrush, Keyser, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Grace Methodist church, Keyser. Burial will be in the Thrush cemetery, Antioch, W. Va. The Rev. Harry S. Myerly, pastor of Grace church, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. A. R. Showalter, Church of the Brethren.

Nine Births Are Reported Here Over the Weekend

Cpl. and Mrs. James J. Kave, 237 Avirett avenue, announce the birth of a son, Albert James, in Memorial hospital yesterday afternoon. Cpl. Kave is stationed at Fairmont army air field, Geneva, Neb., with the Two-hundred and forty-first army air force base unit, an overseas training unit for B-29 bomber crews.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Furlow, 9 Oak street, in Memorial hospital Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Appel, Oldtown, announce the birth of a son in Memorial hospital Saturday evening.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spies, Saturday morning at the home, rear of 735 Fayette street.

Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur R. Kamens, who formerly lived at the Washington-Lee apartments here, announce the birth of a son in Cambridge hospital, Cambridge, March 15. Sgt. Kamens is stationed at Fort Houston, Texas.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Ryder, 2608 Woodwell road, Baltimore, in Allegany hospital Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, 825 Columbia street, announce the birth of a son in Allegany hospital Saturday morning.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Mary P. Johanessen, widow of Soren Johanessen, Wellersburg, Pa., yesterday morning in Memorial hospital. Mr. Johanessen was killed in an automobile accident December 14, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin M. Gordon, Route 2, Flintstone, announce the birth o fa son in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Zeo Pressman, LaVale, in Memorial hospital yesterday afternoon.

Two Men Will Receive Hearings on State Motor Vehicle Charges

Two local men will be given hearings in trial magistrates court today for violation of the state motor vehicle laws. They are:

Marshall B. Burch, 142 Humbird street, charged with two violations of the state motor vehicle laws after he was arrested yesterday at 6 p. m. after a three-car collision on North Mechanic street. Charges were preferred by Officer Ernest M. Powell.

Wallace Newell, 508 Fort avenue, will be given hearings on charges of reckless driving and of operating a car without an operator's license. He was arrested on Humbird street yesterday at 2:50 a. m. by Detective E. R. Lilya.

Cooper Completes Course At Naval Hospital

Graduating fourth in his class at the United States Naval Hospital Corps School, San Diego, Calif., Howard Eldin Cooper, 26, of 1 South Waverly Terrace, Cumberland, has just been rated hospital apprentice first class. He has been assigned to duty at the United States Naval hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Prior to his enlistment in the navy last August, Bluejacket Cooper was a pharmacist. He is a graduate of Shinnston, West Va., high school and studied pharmacy at West Virginia university, Morgantown, W. Va.

His wife, Mrs. Wanna Ruth Cooper, resides at the South Waverly Terrace address.

Receives Promotion

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Berkenbaugh, 50 Wempe d ive, have received word that their son, James T. Berkenbaugh, who is at Fifth army headquarters in Italy, has been promoted from technical sergeant to second lieutenant.

LISTEN, WORLD!

—By Elsie Robinson

(Registered U. S. Patent Office)

GO IN DEBT

We Robinsons were poor.

Dollars were chancey knick-knacks at best back in California in the '80s. And when you were trying to send five youngsters to college on a piggy bank it certainly took some finagling. Yet the folks managed somehow with plenty of grins left over and if there were sacrifice and regret they never let it cramp our youthful stride.

Poor? Wasn't everyone? Didn't everyone wear patches, half soled shoes and hand-me-down dresses? Didn't everyone have corn bread and New Orleans molasses and mugs of milk for supper? What was there strange in that? We had all that really counted—big rambling old house, flowers by the acre, oranges, peaches, figs, booked piled up, pouring out of every cranny in the place.

People wagged their heads, of course. Chucked—"Those Robinsons! Why'd they have to buy a brand new set of encyclopedias just for themselves where there was a good set at school? Going in debt like that—it's positively criminal! Such extravagance!"

But Dad just laughed that slow, deep chuckle that some folks couldn't understand. Even I, his adoring shadow, wondered now. Even I realized that 'cyclopedias cost heaps and heaps . . . where'd he find a joke in that?

"Aren't they right, Dad?" I puzzled. "Isn't going in debt wicked? Won't it make us awful poor?"

Again that chuckle, big calloused hand tumbling my curls. "Don't you worry, lassie. Going into debt the way we do won't make us poor. Best way on earth to make us rich."

Years of tangled days since he tossed that bit of wisdom my way and I've spent plenty of them trying to understand. "Going into debt the best way to get rich?" It didn't make sense. Then gradually I remember the rest of it.

"Going into debt the way we do—" Not just for sillies, ruffles, beads, tricky gadgets. Show-off stuff. But going into debt for important things like encyclopedias or a piece of land or a new plow—going into debt for things like that made you rich INSIDE. It didn't mean just spending money, buying things. It meant something money couldn't buy.

Going into debt that way kept you hustling, kept you thinking, kept you hoping and fighting and living. Kept you out of a lot of things too. Out of loafing, out of envying and getting mean. Out of making a fool of yourself. Was that what Dad had meant? Other folks snorted when young people married too soon, bought things before they could pay for them.

But Dad laughed—"Best thing that could happen to them. Sets a goal for them—keeps them aiming ahead when they're tempted to quit."

Go into debt—I've heard many a fine axiom but never a wiser one than that. Careful citizens still wag their heads at the thoughts of debt—but is carefulness the best rule for life? Isn't risk better—often? Aren't burdened people often more alive, more gay and curious and young at heart than those who spend their time on cushions or counting their savings? Suppose you do have to reach and strain and awake at night a little scared.

ISN'T THAT WHAT LIFE'S FOR ANYWAY?"

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Terra Alta Stock Yard

TERRA ALTA, W. Va., March 25 Receipts last week were again fair. The market was extremely active and prices held firm.

Hogs, choice weights, $14.75; heavy weights and packing sows, $14.00; pigs and shoats, $11.00 to $21.75 per head.

Calves, good and choice, $16.75 to $18.40; common to medium, $9.60 to $15.90.

Bulls, $8.75 to $12.30; cows, common to medium, $4.50 to $8.80; cows by the head, $77.00; steers, $13.10 to $16.60; heifers, $8.50 to $15.80; heiferettes, $8.75 to $13.90; stock cattle, $36.00 to $81.00 per head; horses, $41.00 to $142.50 per head; chickens $26.10 to $29.60.

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Local Serviceman Granted Divorce

A Cumberland serviceman was granted an absolute divorce Friday and two divorce suits were filed in circuit court.

Pvt. Clarence W. Shrout, now serving in the army overseas, was granted an absolute divorce from Mrs. Helen Mae Shrout in a decree signed yesterday by Chief Judge William A. Huster.

The couple were married March 16, 1941, and have one daughter, Linda Suzanne. Custody of the child was given to the mother, and Shrout was ordered to continue supporting his daughter. He was granted permission to visit the child at reasonable intervals.

Shrout was represented by Paul M. Fletcher. Mrs. Shrout's attorney was Lewis M. Wilson.

Mrs. Genevieve Joan Arnold, who joined the WAC April 29, 1943 and remained in service until she received a medical discharge last January 5, filed suit for an absolute divorce from Lawrence Christian Arnold, 314 Washington street, a B and O locomotive engineer.

The couple were married in Westernport January 1, 1937, and lived together until February 15, 1943. They have no children.

In a court order signed yesterday, Judge Huster ordered Arnold to pay his wife $25 weekly pending a decision in the case. Mrs. Arnold is represented by Morgan C. Harris.

Mrs. Anna Jane Friend filed suit for a partial divorce from Nathan S. Friend, now employed in Baltimore. They were married in Garrett county January 13, 1935, and lived together until last November 23, according to the bill of complaint.

Mrs. Friend asked the custody of their nine-year-old son, Mervin Keith Friend. Judge Huster ordered Friend to pay his wife $25 weekly alimony pending a decision in the case. Mrs. Friend is represented by Estel C. Kelley.

County Man Is With Crack Seabee Outfit

Burton Grove, of Westernport, is a member of the "Umpty-Umth Seabee Battalion — Maryland Branch," according to Philip S. Heisler, Baltimore Sunpapers war correspondent, writing from somewhere in the Marianas.

In the sixteen months in the Pacific the unit has become one of the crack Seabee outfits in the war. They put up Admiral Nimitz's headquarters at Pearl Harbor in almost miraculous time, according to Heisler. "They have moved mountains, built complete cities, put down hundreds of miles of roads through a thick jungle in incredible time. Many of the jobs were done at night under floodlights," the writer said.

Paw Paw Lacks $575 Of Red Cross Quota

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., March 25—The Red Cross War Fund quota here has not been met as was stated in the Paw Paw items of Saturday morning's News.

One thousand dollars has been reported collected of a quota of $1,575 for this section. The item, as published Saturday, concerns the Paw Paw theater section only. This section has oversubscribed its quota thirty per cent.

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Report Incomplete ting Additional Re- ts from Solicitors

RUDOLPH NICKEL

TBURG, March 25—Mrs. J. Ryan, chairman of the ss drive in the Frostburg ated today that Frostburg ady exceeded its quota by The workers from Frostburg, Crossing, Midlothian, Car- ft, Borden and Zihlman day turned in $8,350. Frost- ota was $7,000.

yan stated that a number ors have not yet turned in al report and one or more ons are still to be heard ore a final report can be She estimates that Frost- secure as much as $8,600. Cobey, who has been as- headquarters stated that has been the most suc- the history of Red Cross s in this section.

the donations received was turned in for Mrs. Ed- nahan, West Main street, $10 as a memorial gift for Pvt. Harold Monahan, of ne corps, who died March am from wounds received ma.

al drive will close Monday , when solicitors and com- embers will be served a din- e Red Cross canteen corps ture room of First Metho- ch. The affair will be in Miss Katherine Close and ttee consisting of Mrs. J. Mrs. Kathleen Todd, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Thomas Lewis Edward Gooding.

Plan Benefit Games

ball teams representing Legion Posts at this city aconing will meet in a Red nefit game Monday at 8:30 the Beall high school floor. p. m. the Frostburg Leg- will meet the Independent Women's quint, Cumber- ched by Mrs. Leo Leasure. are on sale at the Harris t or may be purchased embers of the competing

Plan Service

munity Easter service will Monday, at 1:30 p. m. in torium of Frostburg State college, under auspices of ent Christian Association, s Margaret Jones, faculty in charge.

der of services will be as Prelude, Aden Lewis, pian- onsive reading, the Rev. im; vocal solo, "Open the the Temple," the Rev. Ed- Weidler; scripture reading, George S. Wehler; selec- ent quartet, consisting of eiling, Darlene Warnick, riend and Tilly Over, and on by the Rev. Henry Lit-

ogram will be interspersed ections by the Maryland directed by Prof. Maurice head of the department at the college.

Capt. Fringer

John Fringer, Westminster, band of the former Belle this city, was killed in according to a telegram by his widow Saturday, Besides his wife, he leaves ldren and numerous other

Fringer, a former lieuten- Company H, Maryland na- ard, was a linotype opera- employ of a Westminster before the war. He was many local people.

Services Planned

for Philip Baker, 82, re- er, who died Friday night Garrett county home, will Monday at 2:30 p. m. in the Methodist church. The Rev. E. Holley, pastor of First church, this city, will officiate and interment will be in the Johnson church cemetery.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ludwig Neilson and Mrs. Francis Winebrenner, both of this city, and six sons, Edward G., Allen and Arch Baker, Frostburg; Noah and Cecil Baker, Salisbury, Pa., and Henry Baker, New Windsor.

Frostburg Briefs

Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Roy C. Douty announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday in Miners hospital. The father is stationed at Camp Ritchie and his wife, the former Miss Anna Skidmore, is residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Skidmore, Maple street.

Mrs. Margaret Hanson, public health nurse, will speak Monday at 8 p. m. at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the elementary school, State Teachers college, in the college auditorium. There will be group singing in charge of Miss Margery Hinkle, with Miss Nancy Gibney as accompanist. Teachers will be in their home rooms at 7:30 p. m. to confer with parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steele, Route 2, Frostburg, announce the birth of a daughter Saturday in Miners hospital.

Bethel No. 15, Job's Daughters, held a skating party at Crystal Park Friday evening. The group will hold a private swimming party at the "Y" pool, Cumberland, April 5. Ae series of social events will be held during the spring season.

Mountain Lodge No. 99, A.F. and A. M., will hold a special meeting Monday evening, at 7:30, to confer the third degree on a naval officer home on a brief leave.

Miss Dolores Ferree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ferree, Beall Lane, has been assigned to the staff of St. Alban's naval hospital, Long island. A graduate of Beall high school and Memorial hospital school of nursing, Cumberland, with the June class, she was commissioned an ensign after being accepted in the navy nursing corps.

Holy Week services in St. Paul's Lutheran church, this city, will be as follows:

Tuesday evening, "The Cross;" Wednesday evening, "Persuasion—or Force?" Thursday evening, holy communion; Easter morning, "The Deathless Hope," and Easter evening, "The Light that Faileth Not." At the Palm Sunday morning service members were received by confirmation. Wednesday evening there will be a reception of adult members and Easter morning there will be an opportunity for the baptism of children.

Most reptiles lay eggs, although some eggs are hatched within the mother.

Rockwood, Pa., Man Is Injured when Car Plunges into Creek

Walter H. Schultz, 24, Rockwood, Pa., was treated in Allegany hospital early Friday morning for a deep laceration of the head suffered when the car he was driving left Mason road near Union Grove and rolled down a forty-foot embankment into Evitt's creek.

Schultz, state police said, freed himself from the vehicle after it came to a stop on the right side. Charles Sullivan and John King, this city, took the injured man to the hospital after he was discovered by nearby residents who heard his moans.

The driver told Trooper G. M. Rotruck, who investigated, that the steering mechanism of the car was defective and the car went out of control when it touched the soft shoulder of the road. Damage to the car was estimated at about $500.

Cantata Will Be Given at Barton

BARTON, March 23 — A sacred dramatic Easter cantata, "The Lord is Risen," will be presented Sunday, April 1, 7:30 p. m. in the Barton Methodist church. Tableau and pantomimic action will make the cantata impressive.

Assisting the choir will be groups of young people selected from the Sunday-School. The music is under the direction of William Malcolm; organist, Miss Katherine McDonald; the story of the Resurrection day is under the direction of Mrs. Verda Michael.

Services Planned For Mrs. Glenn, Scotland Native

Lonaconing Woman, 84, Died at Daughter's Detroit Home

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, March 25 — Mrs. Jean Love Harper Glenn, 84, widow of John Glenn, Lonaconing, succumbed Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jean Dawson, Detroit.

Mrs. Glenn was a native of Scotland, the daughter of the late John and Jean Harper. She came to America at the age of twelve with her parents who made their home in Lonaconing.

Mrs. Glenn resided at Railroad street, Lonaconing, until the last eight months that she has been spending with her daughter in Detroit. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Lonaconing.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. William Muirhead, Wilkinsburg, Pa.; Mrs. Elizabeth Cawley Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. Cromer Ring, Detroit; and Mrs. Dawson; and three sons, Harper Glenn, Detroit; Lt. Col. James Glenn, Washington, and John Glenn, Lonaconing.

Four sisters also survive. They are Mrs. Oris Spencer, Detroit; Mrs. Elizabeth Dodds, Kittanning, Pa.; Mrs. George Gorman, North Sewickley, Pa.; and Mrs. Ben Burke, Pittsburgh. There are twenty-three grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

The body is at the home of her son, John Glenn, Railroad street, Lonaconing. Monday at noon the body will be taken to the Presbyterian church and funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p. m.

The Rev. Stanley Jewell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Barton, will officiate. Interment wil be in Oak Hill cemetery, Lonaconing.

To Hold Drive

Mayor John H. Evans has authorized the James P. Love Post No. 92, American Legion, and it's auxiliary to proceed with plans for the collection of clothing for war relief.

The drive begins April 1 and continues throughout the month. A meeting will be held March 28 in the Red Cross headquarters, Main street. Each organization in Lonaconing is requested to send a representative to this meeting, at which time plans for the campaign will be outlined by Miss Anne Sloan, service officers of the James P. Love Post.

Contest Sponsored

Posters entered in the Poppy Poster contest, sponsored by the James P. Love Unit No. 92, American Legion Auxiliary, are on display in the show window of Eichhorn's funeral establishment, Main street.

Judging of the posters will be made at noon Tuesday, March 27, it was announced today by Mrs. Agnes McConnell, poppy chairman.

Homemakers Meet

The Lonaconing homemakers club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah Jane Gardner, Washington street. The club voted to contribute $5 to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips talked on "Herbs" and Mrs. William Wattenschaidt displayed articles from New Mexico.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. John Gowans, Church street. It will be held Thursday, April 26.

Reported Wounded

Pvt. Gordon K. Smith, husband of Mrs. Kate E. Smith, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Judd Smith, was wounded in action in Germany, March 6 and is now hospitalized in France, according to a letter received by his wife.

Pvt. Smith was wounded in the right hand and the left knee and has received the Purple Heart which he will forward to his wife. He served with the Tenth armored division of the Third army.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have three other sons in the service. Billy and Burton are serving in Germany and Seabee John J. is in Guam, Southwest Pacific.

Is Slightly Wounded

Pfc. Harold A. Moyer was slightly wounded in action in Germany, March 15, according to a telegram received last night by his wife, Mrs. Ida Mae McIntyre Moyer, Furnace street. He was in the medical corps of the One Hundred and Eightieth infantry of the Forty-fifth division of the Seventh army.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard I. Moyer, 40 Church street, he entered the army October 13, 1943 and trained at Camp Grant, Ill., and Camp Reynolds, Pa., before being sent overseas in April, 1944. He has been in Africa, Italy, southern France and Germany.

His son, Harold Richard Moyer, was born in December, 1944, two months after he went overseas. A brother - in - law, Pvt. Mark Pace, Douglas avenue, was inducted last Wednesday and spent the weekend at home.

Plan Holy Week

The Rev. John E. Stacks, president of the Lonaconing ministerium, announces the program of services for the churches of Lonaconing during Holy Week.

The union service will begin Monday at 7:30 p. m. in the Pentecostal Holiness tabernacle with the Rev. John E. Stacks, as preacher.

Tuesday evening the service will be in the First Methodist church with the Rev. Walter Michael, pastor of the Center Street Methodist church, as the guest preacher.

Wednesday evening the service will be held in the Assembly of God church at which time the Rev. Glenn I. Bailey, pastor of the Pentecosta. Holiness hurch, will be the preacher.

Holy Thursday the service will be held in the First Methodist church at which time a community communion service will be celebrated. The Rev. A. R. Ark., pastor of the Assembly of God church, will bring the communion meditation.

Good Friday the three-hour devotional service from noon until three o'clock will be conducted in the First Presbyterian church. The resident ministers and visiting clergymen will speak in the twenty-five minute periods of this three-hour service.

Clergymen who will have part in the Good Friday service are the Rev. Bailey; the Rev. Stanley H. Jewell, Barton; the Rev. L. J. Moore, Barton; the Rev. Raymond W. Crowe, Midland; the Rev. Ark.; the Rev. John L. Wilson, Eckhart Mines, and the Rev. Stacks.

Brief Notice

Community schools will close Thursday at 1 p. m. for the Easter holidays. They will re-open Tuesday, April 3.

Personals

Carl Cline, who is making his home with Mrs. Margaret Gould, has received word that his brother, Vernon, has been killed in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Haines received word that their son, T-4 Vernon Haines, has arrived in the Philippines. He was stationed in New Guinea for seven months. In the service two years, he received his basic training at Little Rock, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staup, 2535 W. Fairmount avenue, Baltimore, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday, March 18, at the South Baltimore general hospital. Mrs. Staup was formerly Miss Norma Bradowski, Dundalk. Staup was a former resident of St. Mary's terrace, Lonaconing.

Mrs. Robert Ralston returned home from Flemington, W. Va., where she attempted the funeral of her brother-in-law, John H. Glenn, formerly of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Nolan, Island street, received a letter from their son, William Nolan, stating that he has been promoted to seaman first class. Seaman Nolan is stationed at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Whitfield, Henry and Marie Worgan are in Washington visiting Pfc. William H. Worgan, who is a patient at Walter Reed hospital.

Seaman Dixon Peebles returned to New York after spending leave the past week with his wife, Mrs. Josephine Peebles, and his mother, Mrs. Annie Peebles.

Mr. Carl Bond and daughter, Janet Marie, Baltimore, visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mineral and Hampshire Residents Oppose Proposed Dams on Potomac

Proposed construction of four dams in the Potomac river basin as recommended by United States Army engineers was unanimously opposed by 1,000 residents of Mineral and Hampshire counties in meetings held Friday and Saturday.

According to Clyde Bonar, Burlington, president of the West Virginia Farm Bureau, not one person spoke in favor of any one of the projects proposed for the North Branch, South Branch, Patterson's creek and Cacapon river. However, a favorable attitude toward the Savage river dam, which has no connection with the fourteen dam proposal of army engineers, was expressed at both gatherings.

It was pointed out that the Savage river dam, which is partially constructed, will help control the flow of the Potomac in dry periods and aid industry in Cumberland but does not cause damage to West Virginia residents.

Williams Presides

Former State Senator George H. Williams presided at the Romney session and explained the purpose and need of the meeting.

Bonar and Albert B. Matthews, Grantsville, W. Va., former president of the State Senate, pointed out that agriculture is second only to coal mining among West Virginia industries. Matthews was named to represent the group at a hearing scheduled for Washington April 3.

William S. Jenkins, Frostburg, coal operator, declared that if power dams are constructed one million tons less of coal will be used annually to produce electricity, and that both industry and labor will suffer.

Picturing the Tygarts valley dam at Grafton, W. Va., an "unhappy affair", Dayton G. Stemple, Philippi, W. Va., attorney, said that if "strong objections" are not made "you will be sorry."

E. H. Morris, engineer for the West Virginia Public Service Commission, said the commission would oppose construction from a utility standpoint.

He said a financial burden would be placed on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad branch line from Green Spring to Petersburg and implied that electricity produced by water power would cost more than that now made by steam if the $235,000,000 project is to be self-liquidating.

County Clerk R. E. Stewart showed that property value at $1,263,860 would be taken from the Hampshire county assessment lists and that tax revenue would decline eleven percent.

Community Is Named

A committee of twenty-five was named to accompany Mathews to Washington.

Numerous petitions against the dams were signed and resolutions opposing the projects were presented by the Farm Bureau, county court, American Legion, business men and other groups.

Edwin A. Schmidt and Donald Birrell, army engineers from Washington, explained the plan, showed slides of flood damage and told of the location for the proposed dams.

Opponents of the dams said that the "cream of farm land in three valleys would be made worthless."

Bonar presided at the Keyser meeting. Speakers included Charles Ludwig, for the Rotary club; Timothy Carskadon, Peter Homan, Joseph Wright, Raymond Coffman, and Judge Ernest A. See, for the Lions Club; John I. Rogers, delegate to the state legislature; Williams, Morris, Stemple, and Mathews.

Morris said that the dams are only 1.6 percent for flood control and Judge See asserted the dams will not aid the Potomac Edison Company or other nearby power interests. He said the section's power needs can be met for at least twenty years without the building of the dams.

Bonar stated that the dam suggested for below Keyser at Dawson would be 78 feet high and make the water level 801 feet above sea level. This would just be nine feet below the Mineral county court house, he said. He said the dam would create a flood hazard as it would tend to back up water in New creek.

Likewise it was stressed that the B. & O. would have to relocate its tracks and might not enter Keyser at all. The Western Maryland railway tracks would also be under water, it was claimed.

Bonar was named chairman of the Mineral group to go to Washington and authorized to select his own committee. Petitions are being circulated and a resolution of protest will be presented in Washington.

It was pointed out that the water of Pattersons creek will cover Fort Ashby and that the new high school will be on an island. Part of Burlington will also be inundated.

Baltimore Sailor Weds Keyser Girl

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., March 25—Miss Mabel Blackburn and Charles Frederick Guertler, Jr., were married in the First Methodist church, Almeda, Calif., February 14, The Rev. Charles E. Lord officiated.

Mrs. Guertler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Blackburn, 106 Gilmore street, Keyser. She is a graduate of Keyser high school and previous to her marriage was employed at the Glenn L. Martin Company, Baltimore.

The bride-groom, who is a petty officer in the navy, is stationed at the naval air station, Almeda. He is a resident of Baltimore and was previously employed at the Glenn L. Martin plant in Baltimore. They will live in Almeda.

Personals

Miss Florence Howard, Mineral county club agent, was called to her home in Buckeye, Pocahontas county, because of the illness of her father, L. G. Howard.

Mrs. Ida Wilkins of near Mathias, Hardy county, is spending some time with her brother, Judge Ernest A. See, Fort avenue. Mrs. Wilkins recently underwent a major operation in Rockingham hospital, Harrisonburg, Va. Judge See drove to Harrisonburg, Wednesday, and returned with his sister who will return to her farm at Mathias as soon as her health will permit.

Mrs. W. S. Caldwell is visiting her sister Mrs. P. E. Holy, New York City.

D. G. Lough, Potomac State athletic coach, is attending the State basketball tournament in Morgantown.

Among those admitted to Potomac Valley hospital are Mrs. Rose Adams, Mrs. Bernard Beard, Keyser, Robert Youst, Westernport and Miss Rebecca Bess, Piedmont.

Hoy Strawderman Visits Relatives After 63 Months

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, March 25—Sgt. Hoy E. Strawderman, husband of Mrs. Minnie Duckworth Strawderman, McCoole road, near Westernport, of an anti-aircraft outfit, who returned after spending sixty-three months in the Pacific, is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh S. Ritchie, 426 Hammond street.

He tnlisted in the army at Cumberland in 1935, and was sent to the Pacific in 1939, landing at the Hawaiian group where he spent fifty-seven months before returning to this country. He was at Pearl Harbor when it was attacked.

He returned to this country last May and was married while on a thirty-day furlough.

Returning to the Hawaiians and then to the Philippines being in the battle of Leyte in October, 1944 and he said the Japs were not as tough as the weather. He said there were a good many soldiers from the George's creek section who were members of the seventh division to which he was attached. He said he had had some close calls.

He wears the Good Conduct Ribbon, American Defense Ribbon, Asiatic Pacific Ribbon, Philippines Liberation ribbon with two stars.

Meets Brother

On last Christmas day he met his brother, Jack Strawderman, Moorefield, W. Va., gunner's mate 2-c, at Leyte. He had not seen him since 1929. They spent several days toigether.

A son of Edward Strawderman, Moorefield, W. Va., and the late Mrs. Lou Weymer Strawderman, he was employed at the United States Leather Company at Moorefield, W. Va., when he entered the service.

His wife, stationed at Cherry Point, N. C., and recently promoted to corporal is here on a fifteen-day furlough. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duckworth, McCoole road.

Ritchie Returns

Pfc. Earl Ritchie, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ritchie and a nephew of Sgt. Strawderman is home on a thirty-day furlough after spending eighteen months in the Aleutians. He entered the service in March, 1943. When he entered the service he was employed at the Celanese.

He has two brothers in the service, Pvt. Carl Ritchie, staff photographer on the Panaroma, Ford Ord, Col., and Pfc. Raleigh G. Ritchie, who spent seven months in New Guinea and landed on Leyte island in the invasion's first wave.

Services Are Held

Services for Mrs. Rachel DeVore, 45, wife of Paul L. DeVore, who died at her home at 511 Maryland avenue, were conducted Friday afternoon at the residence of her brother-in-law, William Roberts, 406 Maryland avenue, by the Rev. R. J. Harkins, rector of St. James Episcolal church. Interment was in Philos cemetery.

Active pallbearers were, Charles Linkswiler, Clyde Cook, Wayne Reed, Robert Grove, George Ord, Eldridge Guy. Honorary pallbearers were John McKenzie, Earl Hill, Bruce Dunn, James Guy, Evan DeWitt and Irvin Marsh.

Spring Festival Will Be Given Tuesday

FLINTSTONE, March 25—The Flintstone senior high school spring festival which will be presented Tuesday night at 8:30 p. m., in the school auditorium will consist of eight parts.

Opening the program will be a mixed chorus singing "All Through the Night", "Roll On River" and "Bells of Saint Mary" followed by a girls' chorus singing "Cielito Lindo" and "This Is My Country".

Rose Ann Willison, Norma Robinette, Jean Riggs, Wanda Bennett, June Shaw and Evelyn Wallizer will give a soft shoe dance. Mrs. Virgil Atkinson and Dorthalee Raines will play a piano duet "Stars and Stripes Forever". The Glee Club will present "Silver Threads Among the Gold" and "In the Evening By the Moonlight".

Juanita Riggs will then present an Irish waltz clog dance followed by two selections by the boys' chorus, "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes" and "The Riff Song". The mixed chorus will sing a trio of songs, "Irish Eyes Are Smiling", "Stars of the Summer Night" and "Dancing on the Green".

Mrs. Geraldine Mann is directing the production, Mrs. Margaret Atkinson and Miss Dorothalee Raines are the accompanists, and Miss Marian Eyler has charge of the dances.

Services Are Held For Mrs. Lawrence, Flintstone Native

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS W. Va., March 25—Funeral services were conducted in Davis at the home of Fred Gross Friday afternoon for Mrs. Mary F. Lawrence, 75, who died at the home of another son, Theron Gross, Akron, O., Tuesday. She had been ill for several weeks.

She was born in Flintstone, and lived in Davis until thirty-one years ago when she moved to Akron, O. She was twice married. Her first husband, William Gross, died in 1906 and her second husband died several years ago.

She is survived by two sons, Theron, Akron, O., and Fred Gross, Davis; a daughter, Mrs. Marie Hartzel, Akron, O.; a step-son, Carl Lawrence, Alliance, O.; two brothers, Adolph Struckman, Akron, O., and Gus Struckman, Cumberland; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Willison, Cumberland, and Mrs. Abbie Hendershot, Fossilville, Pa.; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The Rev. George C. Stratton, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated and interment was in the Davis city cemetery.

To Observe Holy Week

The Rev. Andrew B. Mann, pastor af the First Presbyterian churches of Thomas and Davis, has announced services to be held in his church during holy week.

The Thomas church services started today with the "Dedication of the Babe," Baptismal service for infants followed.

During the entire week services will be held each evening until Friday when Holy Friday services will be held in the church at 1:30 until 3 p. m.

Easter Morning special music and the annual Easter sermon will be delivered at 10:15 a. m. followed by the reception of new members at the night service.

In Davis the Easter sermon will be delivered at the 11:15 a. m. service with special music and a reception for new members followed by Holy Communion.

Methodists Plan Services

The Rev. George C. Stratton announced that services started in Thomas church today with the observance of Palm Sunday. They will continue throughout the week.

Thursday evening Holy Communion will be given in the church. Easter Sunday, the Junior choir will assist the regular choir in specoal Easter music and the baptismal services and reception will follow the regular church services.

The Davis church will have a regular Easter service with baptismal and reception of members at the evening service.

Released From Japs

Staff Sgt. Jack L. Nestor, 59, veteran of World War I and World War II, is the second prisoner to be released from the Japs in the Philippine islands from Tucker county recently.

Sgt. Nestor has been in the service for more than thirty years and has been a prisoner in the Philippine islands for three years.

In a letter recently received here by his brother, W. T. Nestor, RFD 3, St. George, he said that he is now getting American food and is feeling better. He also stated that he would like to hear from his other brothers and sisters and would like to have news from home.

Sgt. Nestor was stationed in China, Japan and the Philippine islands prior to Pearl Harbor. He is a son of the late Charles Nestor, St. George.

Cousins Meet

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Parsons, Hambleton, have learned from their son, Cpl. Prentiss Parsons, USMC, now in a base hospital in the South Pacific from wounds he received in action on Iwo Jima, that he has met his cousin, Seaman 2-c John Parsons, also a patient in the same hospital with a heart condition.

He stated that they spent several hours each day together. Seaman Parsons is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Parsons and the husband of Virginia Miller Parsons.

Personals

Thomas Coleman, city policeman of Thomas since June, 1944, has resigned that position effective April 1. The vacancy has not yet been filled.

Staff Sgt. Carl L. Udovich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Udovich, Sr., Thomas, is visiting his parents there after returning to the states from European theater of operations. He was wounded in action in Germany December 3, and has been returned here for further treatment for a fracture of the skull, wounds of the left leg and right arm. He has received the Purple Heart, the Infantryman Badge and the Good Conduct Medal. He will be confined for some time in the Ashford general hospital following his leave at home.

The amount of fat in stuffing should depend on how much natural fat the bird contains. Ducks and geese generally have more fat than chickens and turkeys.

Jesse McCune, 62, Meyersdale, Dies

Retired Mail Carrier Had Been Ill Past Five Years

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MEYERSDALE, Pa., March 25—Jesse C. McCune, 62, a retired mail carrier, and an invalid for the past five years, died yesterday at 1:45 a. m. at his home, 118 Center street.

Surviving him are his step-mother, Mrs. Rebecca McCune, and a step-sister, Miss Mary McCune, Meyersdale. His wife died several years ago.

A son of William McCune, who died many years ago, he was born near Pittsburgh.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p. m. Monday at the Evangelical church, Beachly street, by the pastor, the Rev. Harry Greer. Interment will be in Union cemetery, Meyersdale.

Mrs. Naylor Dies

Mrs. Willye Naylor, 60, passed away yesterday afternoon at the family home, 326 Large street, following a brief illness. Her husband, George W. Naylor, died several months ago.

Born at Petersburg, W. Va., September 2, 1884, she was a daughter of William and Henrietta Rughbottom Strawder.

Surviving her are four daughters and two sons—Mrs. Earl Spillard, New York city; Mrs. John Freeman, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Arch Wellis, Cumberland; Mrs. Walter Jemies and Carter and Strawder Naylor, both at home. She also leaves one grandchild, two great-grandchildren, a brother, Eddie Strawder, Moorefield, W. Va., and two sisters, Mrs. William Brooks and Alice Strawder, Moorefield, W. Va.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. in the A. M. E. church, Large street, the Rev. C. T. Hugh, pastor, officiating. Interment in Union cemetery, Meyersdale.

Rites Are Held

Rites for Mrs. Etta Boger, 53, widow of Ira Boger, formerly of Meyersdale, who died Friday morning at her home in Akron, O., were held Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m. in Amity Evangelical and Reformed church, Meyersdale, the Rev. Nelson C. Brown, pastor, officiating. Interment in Union cemetery, Meyersdale.

Mrs. Boger was born in Meyersdale, a daughter of the late Daniel P. and Anna Brown, Akron; a son, Clarence Boger, in the army; four sisters and two brothers—Mrs. Zedekiah Hoar, Mrs. Andrew Stein, and Frank P. Brown, all of Meyersdale; Mrs. Sadie Uphold, and Henry Brown, Somerset, and Mrs. Margaret Smith, Pittsburgh.

Herbert Collins Dies

Word was received here last evening of the sudden death of Herbert Collins, son of the late Rev. Benjamin B. Collins, for many years pastor of Zion Evangelical Lutheran church, Meyersdale, which occurred in Philadelphia.

Mr. Collins was a resident of Pittsburgh, but was spending some time in Philadelphia on business. Two brothers, George Collins, Johnstown, and Frederick Collins, Pittsburgh, survive. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Brief Items

W. H. Gill, veteran station agent for the Western Maryland Railway in Meyersdale, has been seriously ill during the past several days at his home on Meyers avenue, suffering from an attack of pleuro-pneumonia. He was removed Friday to the home of his married daughter in Baltimore, in the hope that the change will be beneficial to him. Mr. Gill has been a member of the local board of education for the past several terms.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Grof, North street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann Grof, to Warren L. Warner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Warner, Fort Hill, Friday, March 16, at 3 o'clock, in St. Luke's Lutheran church, Cumberland, with the Rev. H. Hall Sharp, officiating. Following the ceremony the couple enjoyed a brief honeymoon trip to Washington and Winchester, Va.

Dean C. R. Orton Discusses Dams

By MRS. MYRTLE K. PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., March 25—Dean C. R. Orton was a guest of the Petersburg Kiwanis Club Friday evening and discussed the proposed dam at Royal Glenn. He also represented the state planning board and made a visit into the sections affected by the proposed dams to secure the reaction of local people to this project.

The Kiwanis club named a committee to secure all facts available regarding the project in order to decide whether or not this section should enter a protest at the hearing in Washington April 3. It is composed of Dr. J. B. Grove, chairman; Mayor K. C. VanMeter, Jr., and James Breathed. They will go to Washington this next week to confer with army engineers relative to the proposed dams in this section and they will report their findings to the club before the Washington hearing.

Heads Drive

B. F. Mitchell, attorney, was appointed county chairman of the drive to collect clothing for the war torn countries of Europe. He will appoint a committee to work with him.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roby, Morgantown, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roby.

Billy Grove VanMeter, who is a student at Augusta military academy, is here visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. VanMeter.

Pfc. Harry Foley is here visiting his family and parents before reporting to Camp Meade.

Pfc. Lemuel Seese, stationed in the armed services in New York is here spending a few days with friends.

Vernon Haslacker has returned from Washington where he was inducted into the marines.

Mrs. Kermit Orders, St. Albans, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Leatherman, has returned home.

Miss Frances Thompson, serving with the WAVE and stationed at Quantico, Va., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Thompson, has returned.

Cpl. Ben Sands, who is stationed with the army in Chicago, is here visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Bergdoll and son, Martinsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lane Huffman, Maysville.

Chaplain George T. Herring, a patient at Staunton, Va., army hospital, is here visiting.

Lt. John Trenton, who has been here visiting his home, has returned to New York.

Richard Thompson, who has been stationed with the army in California, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Thompson.

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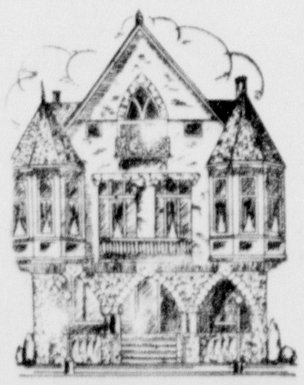

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International Double Taxation

PAUL DEPERON, secretary of the Fiscal committee of the League of Nations and member of the league secretariat, is advocating extension by this nation of its international treaties on double taxation. He has completed a study of the subject, which has been published and circulated by the Commitee on International Economic Policy in co-operation with the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Taxation by more than one country on the same income, estate or other taxable object hampers international investment and discourages world trade, now more vital than ever to the business interests of the United States, according to Deperon. As American enterprise develops raw material resources, establishes branch factories and assembly plants and buys into foreign businesses or participates with foreign capital all over the world, Deperon declares that every American doing business in a foreign country has a stake in the elimination of double taxation.

While through the League of Nations more than sixty tax agreements existed between European countries before the war, the United States was a party to only three—with France, Sweden and Canada.

Three model conventions, offered as a basis of negotiation between countries seeking to arrange mutual tax adjustments, have now been worked out by the Fiscal committee of the League of Nations. They were presented at a regional tax conference held in Mexico City in July 1943, and their provisions have since been endorsed by the third conference of the Inter-American Bar Association. Several countries have already entered into negotiations based on their plan.

These conventions strike a balance between the taxing rights of the country where a taxpayer resides and those of the country where his property or source of income is situated, and they include recommendations for eliminating the fiscal evasion for which a confused international tax situation offers many opportunities. Deperon states that such wide differences exist between tax laws in various countries and between their legal definitions of the factors involved, such as "residence," "business establishment," "origin of income," and "tax liability," that the complex technical problems can be adjusted only through such international treaties, coupled with changes in national tax legislation.

Most American taxpayers are concious of the blight of double taxation within the nation, but few are perhaps aware of the same blight attaching to international trade. Deperon's presentation is as strong an argument that it should be abolished or at least reduced to within reason in the international field as it is in the domestic field.

The Peace Rumors Are Not All In

REPORTS of German peace overtures are signs the enemy is at last beginning to view the situation as hopeless. Such gestures usually precede surrender by weeks or months if the defeated forces can hold out that long. With great Allied armies moving in from many directions, with cities and the remaining war facilities being blasted relentlessly from the air, Germany is learning at last what total war is like.

The Allied high command repeatedly has stated its position. Nothing short of unconditional surrender will initiate peace negotiations. No Allied capital is interested in proposals which come from an unofficial source. There are accounts to be settled with Nazi war criminals before the conflict can be considered ended.

But the Hitler crowd, if convinced its cause is lost, is apprehensive about what is in store for its collective neck. Each day brings the end of Nazism that much nearer. But before the total defeat of Germany there will be many peace rumors.

The Steam-Turbine Locomotive Moves Up

MENTION was made recently of the experiments being conducted by the Pennsylvania railroad engineering experts in the development of the steam-turbine locomotive. It seems now that the Pennsylvania men are going into this in a big and serious way. Announcement has been made that the engineering staff has designed a newer type of high-speed coal-burning steam-turbine locomotive, capable of developing 9,000 horse power.

Called the "Triplex," the newest of these new engines is the third on the road's program of improving the design and performance of coal burning steam engines.

In the "Triplex," the usual arrangement of the main sections will be completely changed. At the head will be a large coal compartment, followed immediately by a cab and boiler section, with the cab at the front and the smokestack at the rear. Supporting the whole combination will be a cast-steel frame mounted on two swiveling trucks, one under the coal compartment and the other under the boiler.

Each truck will consist of four pairs of driving wheels and two pairs of guiding wheels. Behind the boiler will be coupled a capacious water tender. A direct-drive steam turbine will be geared to the driving wheels of each of the two swiveling trucks.

Dimensions of the "Triplex," which will be used for both passenger and freight service, approximate the largest that can practicably be operated on American railroads, the company says. They cover nearly 137½ feet of track from front to rear, with a wheel base of 122½ feet. Swiveling trucks, however, will permit operation around any curve that can be negotiated by a passenger coach.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad, which usually keeps abreast of locomotive development, in some instances having taken a step ahead, hasn't been heard from in this connection, but it is safe to say that its engineering staff is busy with the turbine scheme. Other railroad engineering staffs are also likely busy with it, since the necessity has arisen for meeting the challenge in the pace set by the Diesel engines.

The Forehanded Householder

INDICATIONS from purchases for the armed forces and through trade channels are that the country is going into the season of shortages in many lines of importance in the operation of households.

The people know from their experience of three years that the household equipment industries have been largely diverted to war purposes. Many articles of kitchen equipment and for heating, lighting and sanitary purposes have long been off the market. The war development, even granting the early end of the war in Europe, does not justify, according to manufacturers of these articles, predictions that they will be available in quantity this year.

Warnings issued by the automobile and radio industries apply to practically all household equipment. They know that a vast market awaits the conversion of their industries to peace demands. They are fully prepared to make the most of their opportunity. But even under these favorable conditions they point out that much time will be necessary to utilize war-born improvements, to get their factories going and to re-establish their sales and distribution organizations.

This seems to be the critical year in the life of household equipment and appliances. There is sure to be some inconvenience and probably some hardship. But the cost in comfort and in health can be greatly reduced by making repairs in good time and by good care of parts which are subject to wear.

The forehanded householder will not neglect to make regular inspections of all equipment and to act immediately when his attention is called to faulty operation and signs of trouble due to negligence.

Frequency modulation, we're told, eliminates static from radio. Unfortunately, says the man at the next desk, it is utterly powerless, however, against the singing commercial.

The custom of apologizin' to the son of heaven for every reverse has created steady work for Koiso.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

The Browser herewith acclaims J. D. Ratcliff's "Yellow Magic" (Random House) the most fascinating mystery-detective story of the current publishing season. And everybody who has a son or a husband or a brother in the war—or who has ever feared pneumonia, gas gangrene, bacterial miocarditis or any of the other harsh plagues that afflict mankind—should agree with the Browser . . . Because this book tells the wonderful story of how penicillum was discovered and in an incredibly short time put into production by the big American pharmaceutical houses and sent to our armies and navies.

Although the English scientist Dr. Alexander Fleming first discovered the germ-killing properties of penicillium seventeen years ago, it was not until the Germans were bombing London that men went feverishly to work to use it in saving human lives . . . In 1928 Dr. Fleming happened to notice that some cultures of staphylococci which he was studying had become contaminated. He was about to throw the ruined culture away when he noticed that for some distance about the mold growth in the little dish—SOMETHING WAS DISSOLVING THE MICROBES.

That something was the common mold, penicillium, and Fleming and his associates began to grow penicillium and try the yellow fluid on plates of pneumonia microbes and gonoccocus and meningococcus. They found that it was a powerful antibacterial substance BUT—it was impossible to produce enough of the material and for that reason everybody forgot about penicillin for ten years.

Then Dr. Howard W. Florey became interested and went to work producing the yellow magic in greater quantities—enough to use on a pitifully few human beings and learn that it was the greatest forwardstep in medical science in centuries. They discovered that just as it killed staphs and streps in a laboratory, so it would kill them in the human body. It was bland and non-toxic; it was more effective than the sulpha drugs and no microbe was able to build an immunity against it, but again—there wasn't enough of it and there would never be enough until it could be produced on massive scale.

The setting of the drama moves to America in war-time, to a government laboratory in Peoria, Illinois. And there the work went on. A new strain more productive of penicillum was found. A new food—corn steep-liquor to which milk sugar had been added—produced an even greater harvest of the precious stuff. New methods of producing penicillum in great tanks were devised. Great American drug concerns—first four in June, 1943, and finally seventeen more—were convinced of the need for penicillum, and poured millions of dollars into production and finally, as this book was published, American science and industry was producpounds a day, to treat 500,000 patients a month.

So we have a drug that is the deadly enemy of pneumonia, meningitis, staph and strep infections, of gonorrhea, syphilis, boils, carbuncles, burn infections, osteomylitis, bacterial miocarditis, eye and chest-cavity infections, gas gangrene. It cannot effect malaria, tuberculosis, typhoid fever, infantile paralysis, flu or the common cold—but it has opened the door to sicentific attack on these enemies of man. The "yellow magic" is a miracle which will save lives by the million and it was placed at the service of man in the very years when the human race seemed to be trying to murder itself.

What detective story you have ever read was as fascinating as this one? . . . And J. D. Radcliff has told the story superbly, thinks Marsh Maslin.

THE BROWSER

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Poor Showing of Japs in Philippines Is Seen Due to Change of Invasion Plans

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — Resistance to our recent landing on Mindanao has confirmed the suspicion of military men that the major factor contributing to the poor Jap showing in the Philippines was that our campaign just wasn't planned according to Japanese rules. Poorly prepared on Leyte, Mindoro, and Luzon, the Japs had really set themselves up to repel invasion on Mindanao, which they figured would be our first target on the islands.

They were right. But when Adm. Halsey reported to Gen. MacArthur that Leyte appeared to be a soft spot, our plans were changed.

In preparing Mindanao for defense, the Japs called upon a number of "improved" German technics. Among the most important was their installation of electrically controlled mines — permitting an observer to blow the mines from a distance when our tanks or concentrations of our troops entered the mined areas. This is the first time the Japs have used this technic.

Other practices learned recently from the Nazis include the more efficient setting of booby traps in Manila buildings, and the use of rockets on Luzon and Iwo Jima.

Fortunately for us, the native guerrillas on Mindanao have managed to nullify most of the Jap preparations in the five months since Leyte was invaded.

Can Congressmen Read?

Government agencies have just received an order to cut down the size of type used in official publications, in order to conserve paper. There are two exceptions to the rule: Agencies printing material for school children or illiterate immigrants are permitted to use ordinary typewriter-size type. There is also no limit on the size of type which agencies can use in making reports to Congress.

Pay-off came last week when OPA, perhaps thinking Congressmen can't read as well as school children or illiterate immigrants, sent two thick volumes printed in very large type to each congressman.

A New Jim Farley

Usually a big national election is followed by a lethargic vacuum. Democrats and Republicans both want to forget politics. But this time, leaders of both political parties are already talking about the congressional elections two years hence.

So far as meets the eye, however, Democratic Chairman Bob Hannegan is way out ahead of the Republicans when it comes to translating words into deeds. Hannegan has become just as active as Jim Farley at the peak of his political power, is working at his job eighteen hours a day and is determined that Roosevelt roll up a stronger Democratic majority in the congressional elections two years hence.

Shortly after Roosevelt returned from Yalta, Hannegan called on him, outlined detailed plans for keeping the Democrats in power. Hannegan complained, however, that he wasn't getting much help from some cabinet members, pointing out that few cabinet members pitched in to help the party.

The president then suggested that Hannegan call together all the cabinet members except for the secretaries of war and navy, and lay down the law to them. So a few days later, Hannegan threw a small luncheon for the cabinet at which he put his cards on the table. Even the stiff, usually unbending state department, which tries to walk the political tightrope and has more Republicans than Democrats in its lush jobs, was represented by Assistant Secretary Dean Acheson.

Other cabinet members present were Postmaster General Walker, Secretary of Labor Fanny Perkins, Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard, Under Secretary of Interior Abe Fortas and Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau.

Hannegan Tells 'Em

Hannegan told them that the cabinet was selected by Roosevelt, was supposed to support Roosevelt, and would have to assist in defending Roosevelt politically. Hannegan outlined his program for the '46 elections and requested complete cabinet co-operation.

"There are 500 men in the non-war agencies getting $5,000 a year or more," Hannagan said, waving a little black book in the air, "and with all respect to the Hatch act, we haven't averaged contributions of a dollar apiece from them."

The response was excellent. One cabinet member pointed out the Democrats hadn't had a meeting like this in years. The others pledged all-out co-operation, said they would go down the line.

One significant shift in Democratic plans is that in 1942, Roosevelt did nothing about congressional elections until three weeks before the voting. Finally he summoned House Speaker Rayburn, suggested he see what could be done. Rayburn replied the Democrats didn't have a dollar to help finance congressional campaigns; but he and several others then got busy and raised $80,000 which was distributed the Saturday night before election.

Hannegan won't make this mistake. He plans to raise at least a million dollars for the '46 campaign.

"Burma's" Sins Cleared

The British minister of information in Washington, scholarly, efficient Sir Harold Butler, received a unique letter the other day. It was signed by cartoonist Milt Caniff, author of "Terry and the Pirates."

Caniff has a fascinating character in his comic strip, known as "Burma," who has been in hot water with British Intelligence in the CBI theater for some time. In the interests of United Nations unity, and especially because "Burma" has so many ardent admirers all over the world, Caniff thought it would be a bad idea to have the British harassing such a charming creature.

So he wrote Sir Harold asking if the British government would object if he cleared Burma of all past sins in a future comic strip.

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It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

Mrs. Roosevelt has received a lot of presents lately—a crown full of jewels, a mink coat, and a harem costume.

About that harem costume, I hope she doesn't wear it the next time Churchill calls—he likes to smoke those cigars, not swallow 'em. It was a gift from the King of Arabia. He was going to send an elephant but then someone told him what they stood for over here.

Mrs. Roosevelt has had the gold crown for several years. Every year Morgenthau drops over and chips out a few jewels for his March 15 collection. Some African potentate sent it to her after the president's Casablanca conference.

Eleanor says "the crown is terrific—but nobody could wear it—it's too heavy." I don't blame her. It would slow her down—she would have to leave three or four countries off her weekly schedule.

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Van Sant Pays Tribute to "Good Newspaperman"

Editor The Cumberland News:

My attention has just been called to the fact that Frank Lee Carl died a few days ago. He was always so friendly to me, on the infrequent visits we paid each other in Cumberland and Baltimore, that I thought of him in a very kindly way indeed.

My most recent communication to him was to tell him how much I had enjoyed reading a couple of stories in his column about Tom Fitzgerald and C. W. Galloway, and even now we are planning to run one of them in our magazine. I shall dislike very much having to put in front of his name "the late."

I know how much you must have prized him, not only as an historian of considerable distinction in your local affairs, but as a good newspaperman and a fine gentleman.

Very Sincerely,
ROBERT M. VAN SANT

Baltimore,
March 23, 1945.

Candor Is Needed About Food Task, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, March 25—Altruism and generosity will have to be accentuated to the maximum in the next couple years by the American people.

Again and again in the next twenty-four months or more the United States will have to desprive itself of commodities as well as food products in order to help the peoples of other lands.

The job of selling such a program to the American nation will require the utmost in tact and candor. For not only will the United States have to give up some of the luxuries but many of the necessities.

Caution Necessary

It will, therefore, become more than ever desirable for the persons who exercise authority in the name of the United States government to avoid excesses or abuses or mistakes. For however well intentioned officials may be, they do yield to high-pressure pleas or demands from abroad that are not pared to the bone of reality. It would be unfortunate if any economic advantage of unfairness developed in connection with requests for aid from foreign countries, and it will be difficult to detect such attitudes unless the facts are constantly made available.

If the American people, for instance, are to be asked to tighten their belts so that human beings in Europe—whether they be the men, women and children of defeated or Allied or liberated countries—will not starve, it will be essential that the passions of revenge be not permitted to becloud the sense of humanity which must prevail. For in the long run unless stable economic conditions are created in Europe, there will be perennial revolution and warfare and in the end the American people will have to pay a higher cost in armament or in the maintenance of policing armies.

Sniping To Increase

From time to time there has been a good deal of sniping at the humanitarian tradition of the United States as the "sucker's" role. This sort of thing will tend to increase and the only way to reduce such criticism is to be sure that the facts about the "Good Neighbor policies or our rehabilitation work abroad are at all times open to inspection by the Congress and the press. Too often a fear that criticism might arise causes unnecessary secrecy and in the end brings more criticism than would have been the case had full publicity been given from the outset.

Food and money as well as raw materials and machinery will have to be exported in ever larger quantities after Germany's organized resistance ceases than at present. This is because the entire economic structure of Europe will be in chaos and the accustomed work in the factories and the fields will be seriously interrupted. To rehabilitate Europe will require food for all manner of homeless persons. Indeed, inside Germany will be found millions of nationals from France and other liberated countries who have been enslaved by the Nazis and who will be marooned in Germany when the Nazis are crushed. Such countries as Norway, France, Italy, Holland and Belgium, as well as Poland and the Balkan states, will need reconstruction on a vast scale.

Great Famine Expected

It will be easy enough for selfishness to crop out and for unthinking observers to say that the victors come first or that one nation should be preferred over another. The job is to get enough food for survival into all countries, because already it is being predicted that next winter the famine in Europe will be devastating.

It will be important, too, to get economic systems started so employment can begin and farmers restored to the land so they can resume planting. It is a colossal job in rehabilitation, and it would be deed if the American peo by and allowed passing to interfere with the flow bare necessitines of life to ples overseas.

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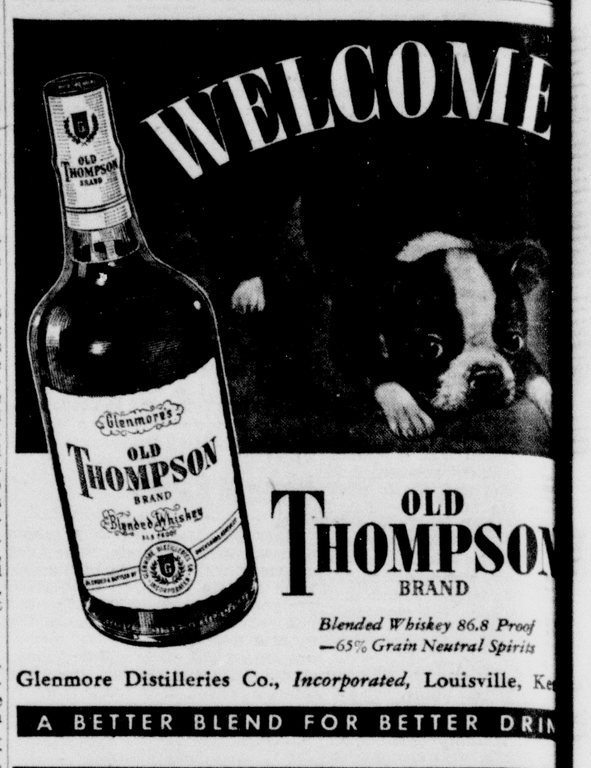

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LaSalle Cagers, Tourney Runnersup, Will Return Here Tomorrow Night

Explorers Bow 50-37 in Finals; Shaffer Again Named Outstanding Player at Newport

The LaSalle High Explorers, although they came off second best in the eighth annual Eastern States Catholic invitation basketball tournament at Newport, R. I., carried away more than their share of awards.

Defeated 50-37 by the rangy LaSalle academy quint of New York, after reaching the finals, the Explorers might have retained the championship had they been as sharp in their shooting as they were in the semi-finals when they made thirty per cent of their shots.

The locals got the shots again in the finals, being credited with sixty-nine attempts, but they found the hoops only seventeen times while the New Yorkers polled the astonishing score of twenty out of forty-eight.

Ray Shaffer, LaSalle guard, was unquestionably the hero of the game with eight fielders and two foul shots, and when he was named the outstanding player of the tournament for the second straight year, his selection caused little surprise. It was the first time in the history of the Newport event that a player ever won the distinction twice.

Carl Muller anl Jack Steiner were also close to top form but Tommy "T-Bone" Geatz and Ed "Bunny" Gunning just couldn't get going in the shooting department. Geatz made only one of twenty shots while Gunning failed to connect on any of eight tosses.

For LaSalle academy, Henry Harvey was the No. 1 performer with twenty-three points but it was a fast, five-man ball club that won a well-deserved victory.

The New Yorkers took a 11-5 lead in the opening quarter and were in front 28-17 at the half and 36-25 at the close of the third period. LaSalle led only twice—4-2 and 5-4 early in the tussle.

Although they failed to bring home the bacon, the Explorers have a right to be proud of themselves and their school's great record in Newport tournament history LaSalle teams finished first, second and third in the three years they appeared in the tourney.

Shaffer, in addition to being named outstanding player, was placed on the all-tournament team along with Geatz. Other members of the mythical quint are Phil Kenney, LaSalle Military academy; Jake Bornheimer, LaSalle Military academy;, and Mike Wlak, LaSalle academy.

The eight members of the championship LaSalle academy were presented miniature gold basketballs, while the Explorers received silver basketballs for runnerup honors.

The placing of two Explorers on the first all-tourney team and the naming of a LaSalle tosser as outstanding player marked the third time these honors went to Cumberlanders. In 1943, when LaSalle finished third, George Geatz was voted the outstanding player and along with Bobby Stakem snared places on the all-tourney team. Last year, Jim Fahey was named to the all-tourney five in addition to Shaffer.

The LaSalle squad is due to arrive back in Cumberland tomorrow night around 9 o'clock and a large turnout is expected to welcome the Explorers when they pull into the Queen City station.

Church Title Won By Presbyterians

First Presbyterian cagers, who just managed to gain the playoff series, today hald the 1944-45 Central YMCA Sunday School Basketball League championship.

Waging an uphill battle, the Presbyterians edged out Calvary Methodist, of Ridgeley, 31-30, in the finals on the "Y" floor Saturday afternoon to gain permanent possession of the Sears-Roebuck trophy, placed in competition in 1937. The 1944-45 champs also won legs on the trophy in 1941 and 1942.

Trailing by fourteen points in the second quarter, Presbyterian rallied to take the title engagement. Calvary piled up a 16-3 lead in the opening stanza but found itself tied 22-22 at the half. After three periods, the count was deadlocked 27-27 at the close of the regulation tussle, the figures were tied at 30-30.

Captain Ronnie Sterne was the hero of the battle. He registered the point which broke the tie and decided the issue in the extra period. Johnnie Vernall was Presbyterian's top scorer with ten points while Junior VanMeter had ten for Calvary.

The league's season will be officially closed on Monday, April 2, when the annual banquet is held at 6 p. m. the the "Y."

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

TARS DEFEAT GIANTS

BAINBRIDGE, Md., March 25 (AP)—The New York Giants dropped an exhibition game to Bainbridge naval training station today, 8-4.

Bainbridge collected eight hits off Van Lingle Mungo, Ray Harrell and Swede Hansen, as the National Leaguers picked up only four. Charley Meade homered for the Giants and Dick Sisler, son of George Sisler, and Herschel Lyon connected for Bainbridge.

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A'S TOP HUSTLERS

FREDERICK, Md., March 25 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics defeated the semi-pro Frederick Hustlers today, 7-1, in a game which was close until the fifth inning, when the A's hit their stride.

Doubles by Hal Peck, Frank Hayes and Dick Siebert in the fifth sewed up the game for Philadelphia.

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BROWNS TOP SENATORS

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP)—Slender Jimmy Wallace, 23-year-old army dischargee and southpaw pitcher, today scored the winning run in the ninth inning as the Boston Braves defeated Washington's Senators, 2 to 1.

More than 5,000 persons attended a Red Cross benefit affair which opened the exhibition season here on an ideal baseball day.

Wallace, hurling the last two innings, opened the ninth with a long double to right and crossed the plate on an infield play.

George Case, Washington outfielder whose left shoulder was operated on during the winter, made three hits, including a double, and walked once in five times up. Outfielder Carder Gillenwater, up from St. Paul, paced the Braves' attack with a double and triple.

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DODGERS DOWN MONTREAL

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y., March 25 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers spotted their Montreal International League farmhands a five-run lead in the first inning of their exhibition game today, then came from behind 3,000. Rookies played virtually the to win, 10 to 8, before a crowd of while game.

During the second inning, Mrs. Robert Osborne, wife of a West Point sergeant, was struck on the head by a foul from the bat of Morris Aderholt, of the Dodgers. She suffered a slight concussion.

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Fort Hill Hi-Y Five Trims Allegany, 42-15

The Fort Hill Hi-Y quint rolled to a 42-15 victory over the Allegany Hi-Y outfit in the "rubber" game of a series Saturday afternoon on the Central Y.M.C.A. floor. The teams split in home-and-home battles during the season.

Allegany led 4-3 at the quarter but was behind 16-7 at the half and 29-7 at the close of the third period. Lawrence Dickerhoof had thirteen points for Fort Hill while Ronnie Durst had three baskets for Allegany.

Massive Attack

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miles to get set for today's push.

These combat groups moving forward now are mobile, and prepared to move swiftly.

Strike First Blows

"We are ready to move fast if this thing breaks," said Maj. Marshall Garth of Alexandria, Va.

Armored columns began moving up at 4 a. m., and at 6 a. m. passed through infantry lines to strike the first blows.

Amored elements drove through the flaming village of Asbach, an important road hub, and seized Kircheib thirteen miles from the Rhine on the Hennef-Altenkirchen highway.

Endless columns moved up along dusty roads on this warm spring day through the hills in which began the legend of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. German engineers blew every bridge, chopped down trees, and planted mines as thick as birdseed along every road, slowing the pace of the drive.

Long Column Advances

A long column swung through Asbach, with disciplined power in its line of light and medium tanks, tank destroyers, half-tracks, gas trucks, and jeeps winding in and out like fox terriers trotting around a column of percheron horses.

A dozen fires burned in Asbach, caught for one epic moment in the flaming vortex of battle.

A number of its ancient plaster and timbered homes, set afire by shells blazed hotly. Debris littered the streets—as in the streets of dozens of Allied cities taken by the Germans in their day of power.

Householders hid meekly in their cellars, or pulled treasured belongings from burning homes.

A house near the center of town has burned almost to street level, but a man kept running frantically a block and a half to fill two pails with water. Then he hurried back with the water slopping against his trousers, and hurled it into the fire.

Sewell To Shoot At Third Straight 20-Game Season

Pirate Hurler Says He Has "Blooper Pitch" Primed for Action

By JERRY LISKA

MUNCIE, Ind., March 25 (AP)—Truett Banks Sewell, who is crowding "37", reports his legs, wind and tantalizing "blooper pitch" all are primed for his third straight twenty-game season.

If the Pittsburgh Pirates, virtually intact from last season's second place finish, catch the springtime enthusiasm of the "Rip," the champion St. Louis Cardinals are a collection of dead birds.

In his first workout last week, Sewell toiled three innings with the jubilant zeal of a rookie. He threw his slow-motion dive bomb pitch, was swinging at the plate like Joe DiMaggio and running the bases with Cobb-like fervor.

"I could have gone nine innings," he said. "I'm in great shape—weight 185, the same as when I quit last season. I'd be ready to get right in there if the season opend tomorrow."

20-Game Winner Needs "Breaks"

Sewell isn't too chesty, though.

"A pitcher has to get all the breaks all the way to win twenty games," he said.

The Cardinals, who finished far ahead of the runnerup Pirates last season, better hope Sewell doesn't get "all the breaks" this summer.

The ace righthander finished with a 21-12 record last season despite a tough of pleurisy that had him on the ropes for almost a month.

In 1943, Sewell won twenty-one and lost nine and probably would have topped Mort Cooper, of the Cards (21-8), if he hadn't damaged his elbow trying to slide and sat out the final two weeks of the season.

Sewell, who is 4-F because of hunting accident which occurred Dec. 7, 1941, the day of the Pearl Harbor attack, said he crowded as much hunting, golf and hiking as he could into his winter stay at plant City, Fla.

Changed Pitching Style

"A baseball player, no matter what position he plays, is only as good as his legs," he emphasized. "His batting eye or his arm will develop automatically, if he can travel at top speed."

Sewell still carries three of the fifteen shotgun pellets that sprayed his right leg when a hunter mistook him for fair game at thirty feet. The accident made him change his pitching style, much to the regret of National League hitters.

"I have to work straight backwards and forwards on my pivot leg," he explained, "and as a result my body screens my pitches until they almost reach the batter."

26 of 28 Players At A's Camp 4-F

FREDERICK, Md., March 25 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics counted up today almost a complete team of 4-Fs, with all but two of the twenty-eight players on hand in that draft category.

The arrival yesterday of Dick Siebert, veteran first baseman and the A's leading hitter last year, completed the 4-F infield. The 185-pound Siebert, who is 31 and the father of three children, said his St. Paul, Minn., draft board reclassified him 4-F because of "Bilateral instability of the left knee."

No matter what, it was good news to Connie Mack. The 82-year-old president and manager of the American League pennant contenders beamed when he greeted his hard-hitting first sacker, who has played more than 100 games during each of the last six seasons.

"It doesn't matter how you came, as long as you got here," said Connie, after Siebert told of traveling to Frederick by plane and bus. ""Now, if we only had one or two more power hitters, we'd be right up there. But where are we going to get them?

"We lost a lot of close games last season. This year we will win a lot of them, and I feel certain we'll finish in the first division."

3 Firemen Celebrate Birthdays Today

Three members of Central Fire Company No. 1 will celebrate their birthdays today on the thirty-ninth anniversary of Cumberland Fire Department.

The firemen are Capt. William L. Lindner, 516 Columbia avenue; Francis J. Wallace, 43 New Hampshire avenue, and Victor G. Long, 612 Columbia avenue.

Central and South End companies were established March 26, 1906; West Side a year later, and East Side company in 1942.

Germans May

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fight probably is reflected in the increasing prisoner toll.

Military men say that the Nazi elite troops, heart of the party's power, can be counted on to fight until they fall.

These are the men the Nazi party hopes (a fading hope) to take into the fastness of Bavaria and Austria. It is true that at the southern end of the front the prospects are better, even good. But they are only a part, presumably a small part, of the total elite troop strength.

Nelson Captures Greensboro Open With 271 Total

Lord Byron Beats Out Byrd, Defending Champ, by Eight Strokes

By FRITZ LITTLEJOHN

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 25 (AP)—Continuing the torrid pace he has been setting in recent weeks, Byron Nelson, the Toledo, Ohio, sharpshooter, won the $7,500 Greensboro open golf tournament today with a seventy-two-hole total of 271. It was Lord Byron's second title in five days and his sixth victory this winter.

He defeated Sammy Snead, of Hot Springs, Va., Wednesday in a playoff to win top money in the Charlotte open. Nelson fashioned two great rounds of 68 and 66 today as the winter circuit's largest throng milled about the par 71 Starmount country club course, to beat out Sam Byrd, of Detroit, the defending champion, by eight strokes and Johnny Revolta, of Evanston, Ill., the early leader, who was nine strokes off the pace.

Nelson, Snead Now Even

His win today enabled Nelson to pull even with Snead in victories, each having six, with two tournaments yet to go. Snead faltered badly today and was far down the list with a total of 287.

Nelson who is not a spectacular putter as a rule, put on one of his greatest exhibitions on the carpets today, to clip eight strokes from par. In the last twenty-seven holes the great iron player dropped puts of fifteen, twenty, twelve, sixteen, twenty-two and eleven feet, five of them for birdies, and two for eagle threes to streak away from the field.

Byrd, making a strong bid with closing rounds of 68 and 69 to keep the title he won in 1942, the last time the tournament was played, came up with 279, which was a duplicate of his card when he won the title in 1942.

Revolta, the first-round leader, closed with 71s, still chipping close to the pin and using a minimum of putts, but he could not keep the pace set by the deadly accurate Nelson with whom he was playing.

Jimmy Hines Has 285

Back of the leaders came Jimmy Hines, of Chicago, at 285, on a morning round of 66 which was low for the tournament until Nelson's stretch drive.

Craig Wood, the duration National open champion from Mamaroneck, N. Y., dropped back with a pair of 73s for a total of 286.

Snead had 287, finishing with a 70, his first sub-par round after taking a 74 in the morning when he knocked in an eagle three on the eighteenth hole after having five over par through seventeen holes.

First place was worth $1,333 in war bonds to Nelson, already the leading money winner of the year.

The present record of six victories in one winter tour was set by Jimmy Demaret in 1940 and equaled by Snead this season.

NORMANTOWN ANNEXES WEST VIRGINIA TITLE

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., March 25—A "dark horse" entry, Normantown, won the West Virginia scholastic basketball championship here last night by defeating a favored Logan five, 50-49.

Normantown, which topped Morgantown 37-35 in the semi-finals, refused to let Logan's 28-24 lead at half time stop them and roared into a fast and furious third quarter that had 4,500 fans on their feet as the rural team tied the count 38-38.

So little regarded that fans predicted they would be eliminated in their first match, Normantown cagers were paced by Eearl Gainer and Richard Bennett.

Logan gained the finals by turning back Beckley, 54-49.

Local Swimmer Wins Mercersburg Letter

George W. Seymour, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seymour, Luteman road, was awarded the "M" in varsity swimming at the Mercersburg (Pa.) academy last week. Headmaster Charles S. Tippetts distributed the awards for athletic accomplishment in the winter program.

Green Hornets Win

Green Hornet basketballers floored the Blue Whiz outfit, 105-8, in a game played Saturday on the SS. Peter and Paul floor. Each of the five Green Hornet starters had ten field goals.

"Y" SUNDAY SCHOOL LOOP ALL-STARS NAMED

RICHARD CLOWER, First Baptist guard, was the only tosser to retain a berth on the 1944-45 Central YMCA Sunday School Basketball League all-star team selected by the coaches of the fifteen clubs in the circuit. The members of the mythical quint, left to right, are Mervin Cox, St. Paul's Lutheran, and Charles Latterman, Grace Methodist, forwards; Ronnie Sterne, Presbyterian, center, and Clower and James Mangus, St. John's, forwards; Glen Brant, St. Luke's and James Radcliffe, Centre Street, guards, and Ken Cubbage, St. Paul's, center.

Yanks' Johnny Lindell To Take Draft Physical

ATLANTIC CITY, March 25 (AP)—Outfielder Johnny Lindell, of the New York Yankees, has received instructions to take a draft physical, in California, but as he had already requested transfer of his papers east, his examination likely will be in Camden, N. J., at a date later to be announced.

Infielder Oscar Grimes has had his draft papers forwarded to him from Lakewood, Ohio, and his physical likewise will be in this state.

Twenty-six players were present, with Outfielders Russ Derry, Paul Warner and Catcher Mike Garbark having their first 1945 workout with the Yanks.

St. Patrick's Scores

St. Patrick's tossers checked in a 21-13 verdict over the St. Mary's five on the SS. Peter-Paul floor Saturday. P. Christ had ten points for the victors and Farrel four for St. Mary's.

Phils To Meet Camp Lee

WILMINGTON, Del., March 25 (AP)—General Manager Herb Pennock announced today the Philadelphia Phillies will meet Camp Lee, Va., April 6 in the seventh exhibition baseball game of its schedule.

The Phil's exhibition games get underway April 2-3 at the Bainbridge naval training station, Bainbridge, Md.

Mike Kreevich, Brown Outfielder, Signs

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., March 25—(AP)—President Donald Barnes said today Outfielder Mike Kreevich has signed his contract with the St. Louis Browns and that three other players have agreed to terms and are enroute to camp. They are Catcher Myron Hayworth, Pitcher Weldon West and Outfielder Gene Moore.

Wet grounds forced postponement of the Browns' fifth exhibition game with Toledo, of the American Association, and the squad went through a batting cage practice.

Cardinals To Work Out On Their Home Grounds

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals arrived today from their water-logged training field at Cairo, Ill., ready to meet Manager Billy Southworth tomorrow for some intensive workouts on their home grounds at Sportsman's park.

Although there was concern at Cairo over the condition of Red Schoendienst, who was favoring his arm during workouts, Trainer Doc Harrison Weaver could find nothing wrong and said he expected the infielder to be in good shape at the season's opening.

St. John's Takes Pair

St. John's, of the Central Y.M.C.A. Sunday School League, scored a pair of victories recently over St. Mary's passers at the Taylor gym. In the first game, Light and Kreiger paced the Johnnies to a 27-17 triumph and in the second contest, Winterstein collected fourteen tallies as St. John's won, 40-39.

DePaul Battles Bowling Green In Garden Final

NCAA Title Clash Tomorrow Sends NYU against Oklahoma Aggies

By TED MEIER

NEW YORK, March 25 (AP)—DePaul, of Chicago (22-2), and Bowling Green, of Ohio (24-2), clash tomorrow night at Madison Square Garden in the final of the National Invitation basketball tournament. Another standing room only crowd of more than 18,000 was expected to witness the struggle for the championship, a game that opens the final week of the 1945 collegiate season.

On Tuesday, New York university (15-7) and the Oklahoma Aggies (25-4) tangle in the Garden for the National NCAA title and on Thursday the winners of the two tournaments are scheduled to battle it out for the mythical national title won last year by Utah.

Sparked by big George Mikan who scored an amazing fifty-three points against Rhode Island State last Wednesday, the Chicago DePaul Demons were favored to snare the title that eluded a year ago when St. John's upset them in the final. This year Bowling Green eliminated St. John's in the semi-finals.

The chances of the Ohioans received a boost yesterday when it was learned that Mikan was unable to practice because of a leg injury. He was accidentally kicked in the calf of his left leg by a teammate during Friday's workout. He is not expected to miss the game, though his ability might be hampered.

Bowling Green, led by Don Otten and Wyndol Gray, bowled over Rensselaer Poly and St. John's in reaching the final and possibly could spring an upset if Mikan is not up to par.

St. John's and Rhode Island played a consolation game in the opener. Earlier in the season the Redmen whipped the Rams, 66-58.

NYU stunned a crowd of 18,161 in the Garden, Saturday by beating Ohio State, 70 to 65, in an extra period, for the Eastern NCAA title while at Kansas City the Oklahoma Aggies smothered Arkansas, 68-[illegible].

Kentucky beat Tufts, 66-56, for third place in the Eastern competition while in the Western consolation at Kansas City Oregon nipped Utah, 69-66, as Dick Wilkins tossed in twenty-one points for the Northern Pacific coast champs.

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adio Programs ıclude Easter eason Features

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—A ek's observance of Easter will ke itself apparent in a number of ograms throughout the week, rting Monday.

At 12:30 p. m. NBC a fifteen-min- daily series in which various urchmen will participate. Eva Gallienne, actress, is to read daily ole texts. First guest is Dr. Tru- an Douglass discussing "This IS Son."

A couple of the Monday night BC concerts will have music of season. Howard Barlow's at 0 to include Tenor Richard ooks and Don Voorhees at 9 to ve Helen Traubel at guest.

A special Passover half-hour on BS at 5 is to include Vice President uman as speaker and include mu- from the Army's Halloran hos- al in New York.

Herbert Lehman, head of UNRRA, announced for MBS at 7:15 in an peal for clothing for allied coun- es, Paul Manning also will be ard from Paris.

he Radio Clock

MONDAY, MARCH 26

astern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

hanges in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Wilderness Road, Serial Drama—cbs
Capt. Midnight, a Sketch—blu-east
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other blu
Tom Mix Serial Series—mbs-basic
:00—News Report for 15 Mins.—nbc
Quincy Howe and News Time—cbs
Walter Kiernan and News—blu-east
Repeat of the Terry Serial—blu-west
Chick Carter, Detective, Rep't—mbs
:15—America's Serenade; Sports—nbc
Jimmy Carroll Sings, Orchestra—cbs
Repeat From Dick Tracy—blu-west
Serial Superman's Repeat—mbs-west
:30—Sally Moore in Songs Show—cbs
Repeat of Jack Armstrong—blu-west
House of Mystery Repeat—mbs-west
:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary—cbs
Peggy Mann and Songs—blu-basic
Capt. Midnight in Repeat—blu-west
Repeat of Tom Mix Serial—mbs-west
:00—Como's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Jack Kirkwood's Radio Show—cbs
War Correspondents Broadcast—blu
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Comments—mbs
:15—War News from the World—nbc
Hedda Hopper from Hollywood—cbs
Raymond Gram Swing Comment—blu
Mutual Musical, Short Concert—mbs
:30—Music of the Three Suns—nbc
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show—cbs-basic
Dancing Music Half Hour—other cbs
Lone Ranger's Drama of West—blu
Bulldog Drummond Adventures—mbs
:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
:00—Cavalcade of America Play—nbc
Vox Pop by Parks and Warren—cbs
Ted Malone's Overseas Show—blu
Cecil Brown's News Comment—mbs
:15—Lum and Abner Serial Skit—blu
Curt Massey's Broadcast Time—mbs
:30—Howard Barrow & Concert—nbc
Burns and Allen Comedy Show—cbs
Blind Date & Arlene Francis—blu
Sherlock Holmes & Dr. Watson—mbs
:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
:00—Voorhees Concert & Guest—nbc
CBS Radio Theater, Hr. Drama—cbs
To Be Announced (30 Mins.)—blu
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
:15—Dramas From Real Life—mbs
:30—Information Please, a Quiz—nbc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orches.—blu
Music of Worship, a Concert—mbs
:55—Five Minutes Story Teller—blu
:00—Contented Concert Orches.—nbc
Screen Guild Players & Guest—cbs
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—blu
Anita Ellis Sings Her Songs—mbs
:15—Paul Schubert in Comment—mbs
:30—Doc. I. Q. and Quiz Series—nbc
The Monday Variety Show—cbs-east
Bob Hawk Quiz Repeat—other cbs
Armed Forces Play Contest—blu
Half Hour for Dance Music—mbs
:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
The Supper Club Repeat—nbc-west
News; Variety, Dance 2 h.—cbs & blu
Newsreel; Dance Orches., 2 h.—mbs
:15—Variety and News to 1 a.m.—nbc

/TBO Highlights

Monday, March 26

7:00 Morning Spotlight.
7:30 News.
7:45 Reveille Round-Up (NBC).
8:00 World news round-up (NBC).
8:15 People Know Everything.
8:45 News.
9:00 Fun and Folly with Ed East and Polly (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Nation's Rations (NBC).
10:00 Tobe's Topics.
10:25 News.
10:30 Finders Keepers (NBC).
11:00 Road of Life (NBC).
11:15 Previews and Reviews.
11:30 News.
12:00 Words and Music (NBC).
12:30 News.
12:45 United States Navy Band (NBC).
1:00 Sketches in Melody (NBC).
1:45 Morgan Beatty (NBC).
2:00 The Guiding Light (NBC).
2:15 Today's Children (NBC).
2:30 Woman in White (NBC).
2:45 Portrait of a Lady.
3:00 Woman of America (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 News.
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Red Cross speaker.
5:15 The Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen.
5:30 News.
5:45 War commentary.
5:50 News from the nation's Capital.
6:00 Parade of Sports.
6:15 Red Cross program.
6:30 News.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 Old Corral.
7:45 H. V. Kaltenborn (NBC).
8:00 Cavalcade of America (NBC).
8:30 Howard Barlow orchestra and guest (NBC).
9:00 Vorhees Concert (NBC).
9:30 Information Please (NBC).
10:25 News.
10:30 Dr. I. Q. (NBC).
11:00 News (NBC).
11:15 Harkness of Washington.
11:30 Author's Playhouse (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

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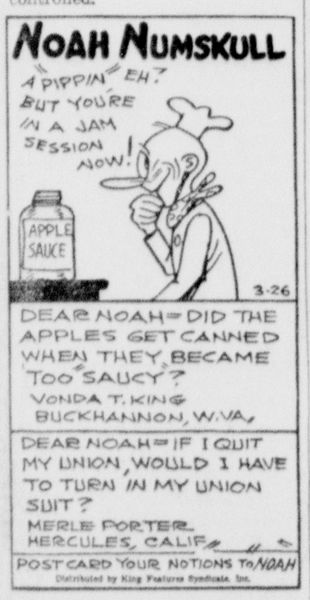

War, Not Divorce For Serviceman, Is U. S. Interest

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX
Famout Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage

So many letters come to this column from women whose husbands are wearing uniforms but prove to be anything but heroes in their domestic lives.

Unbelievable as it seems, some of these men make allowances to their wives and then write to the women to send them back all or part of the money.

Often these women have children to support, health has broken down as the result of trying to do two jobs, look after the children and do part-time work. Sometimes they're in hospitals, as the result of anxiety, and this double duty.

The husband in demanding that return of the ollowance writes if he doesn't get the money he'll sue for a divorce with the help of the United States government.

While it is true, in the case of flagrant infidelity, amply proven, on the part of the wife, that a soldier may discuss divorce with his special service officer, the United States Army is more interested in winning the war than getting divorces for G.I. Joes, especially those who have no grounds for divorce.

"Can my husband get a divorce while serving in the army without my knowledge?" is a question often asked me. Absolutely not! Special services officers cannot represent a soldier or sailor in court, and if the special services officer thinks there are grounds for divorce, the case may be turned over to civilian counsel. To all these worried wives, let it be said that the special services officer will not recommend divorce because a man happens to have fallen in love with somebody he's met after he left home.

Nor will he suggest divorce because the man has a yen for a free life without responsibility and feels that his allowance for wife and child is cramping his style. Instead of getting a divorce through the army, he's likely to get a sharp reprimand.

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With ten per cent fewer employees in the mills, the paper and pulp industry is producing more paper than 1942 according to the American Paper and Pulp Association.

Conservationists Meet To Plan Budget

A discussion of the need for equipment in soil conservation work in Allegany county was held at a meeting of district supervisors of the county soil conservation district in the office of Ralph F. McHenry, county farm agent, at 1:30 p. m. Friday.

Plans were made for submitting an informal budget to the state soil conservation committee, on the basis of the financial needs of the county district. Robert E. Laramy, assistant conservationist, said that the state committee will allocate its funds among the eighteen conservation districts in the state. The funds were appropriated by the state legislature.

The informal budget will be submitted to the state committee before July 1, when the next fiscal year officially begins, Laramy said.

Those attending yesterday's meeting included Laramy, W. L. Frazee, H. M. Gordon and Charles H. Harvey.

Laramy said yesterday that the second in a series of conservation meetings will be held in the Mt. Savage community building at 8 p. m. Tuesday, March 27, for farmers of the Mt. Savage area. Contour strip-cropping will be discussed.

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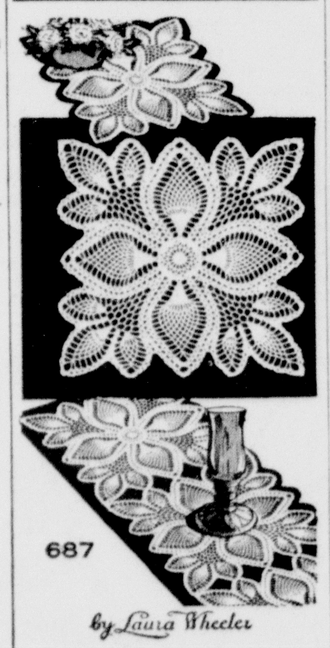

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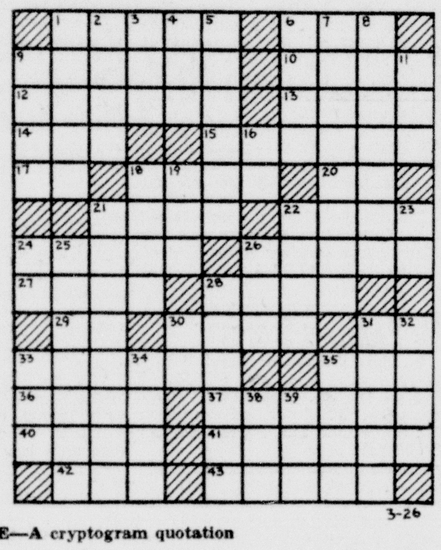
Saturday's Answer



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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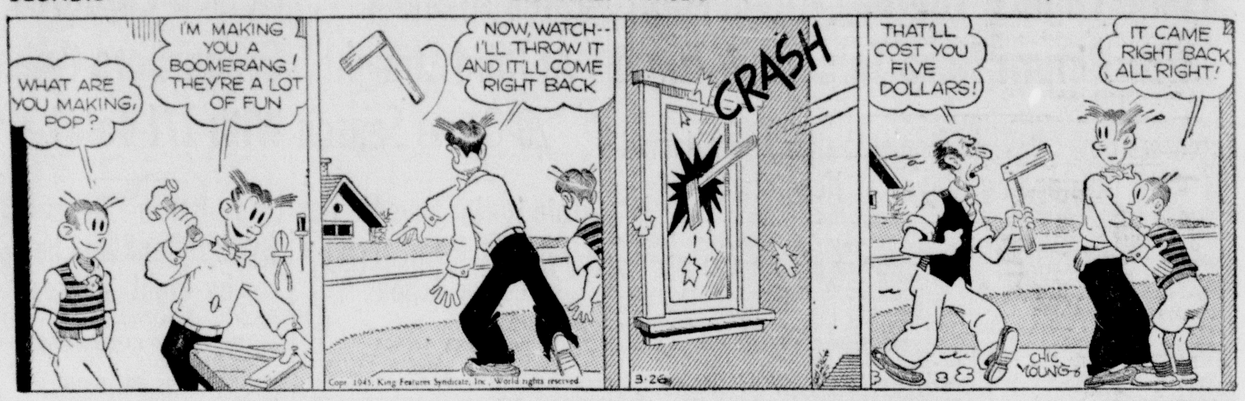

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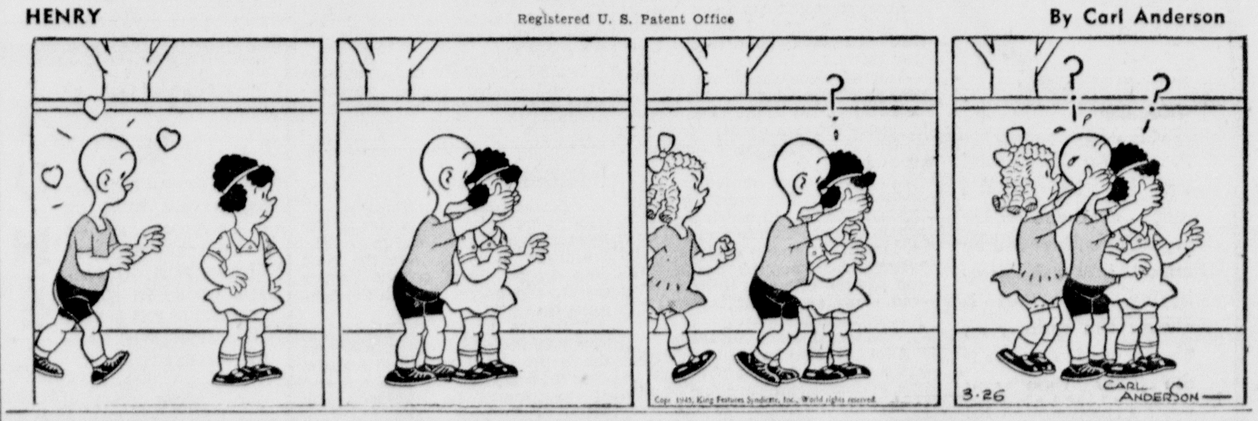

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We wish to thank everyone who expressed their kindness to us during the recent illness and following the death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Thomas McCormick, Sr. Especially do we thank the people at the Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, for being so attentive and kind to her during her hospitalization; the priest and choir at the funeral rites; those who sent flowers and donated cars for the funeral.
THOMAS McCORMICK, SR. AND FAMILY.
3-26-1t-NT

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our beloved son and brother, Cecil Guy Friend, whom God called home two years ago today, March 26, 1943.

Gone is the face we loved so dear,
Silent is the voice we loved to hear;
Too far away for sight or speech,
But not too far for thoughts to reach.
Sweet to remember him who once was here,
And who, though absent, is just as dear.
Broken is our family circle,
Our dear one has passed away,
Passed from earth and earthly darkness
Into bright and perfect day,
But we must all cease to languish,
Over the grave of him we love,
Strive to be prepared to meet him
In the better world above.

LOVING MOTHER, SISTERS AND BROTHER.
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BIG VEIN Wetzel - Consumers Co AND STOKER PHONE 818

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15—Electric Work, Fixtures

ELECTRICAL WORK
MOTOR repairing, wiring and fixtures. Queen City Electric Co., 158 Frederick St. Phone 117.

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19—Furnished Apartments

MODERN TWO, three and four room apartments, also single rooms by the week or month. Boulevard Apartments, Phone 2737. 8-9-tf-T

20—Unfurnished Apartments

MODERN 6 rooms, private, garage, adults. 510 Rosehill Ave. 3-23-tf-T

N. CENTRE ST., three rooms, bath, rear porch, private, second floor, stoker heat, adults, reference. Write Box 869-B, % Times-News. 3-22-1wk-T

22—Furnished Rooms

SLEEPING ROOMS, men. 223 Harrison St. 3-23-3t-T

NEWLY furnished bedroom in modern home, young lady preferred. Inquire 610 Hilltop Drive, second floor. 3-24-2t-N

SLEEPING rooms, 225 Baltimore St. 3-24-2t-N

LIGHT housekeeping room. Phone 3358-M. 3-24-3t-T

ROOM for lady. Phone 1934-W, between 5 and 7 P. M. 3-25-tf-Su

24—Houses for Rent

SMALL Bungalow on Bedford Road. Rent reasonable. Reinhart's Furniture Store. 3-25-3t-T

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

SPENCER SUPPORTS, individually designed. Alleta Allamong Luchs, Phone 3822-M. 9-1-tf-N

ASPHALT ROOFING, 2 ply, $1.35; 3 ply, $1.85. Liberty Hardware. Phone 550. 9-15-tf-T

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Wringer Rolls, All Makes
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SMART FORM foundation garments. Surgical belts, $6.95. Phone 2026. 2-23-tf-T

JOHNS MANVILLE Rock Wool home insulation. Phone 3908-W. 2-28-31t-N

NEW and used furniture, 107 N. Centre. 3-1-31t-T

AVON products, hosiery, Dutch Maid. Call 4008-F-12. Mrs. E. D. Lewis, representative, Cresaptown, Md. 3-13-31t-T

RADIOS, bought, sold. Phone 1600. 2-27-31t-T

EVERGREENS, apple trees, limited supply. Savage Garden Nursery. Phone Mt. Savage 3376. For expert landscape service phone Cumberland 2170-J. 3-5-tf-N

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SEVERAL thousand dollars worth of toys, must vacate building. Make me an offer. 101 Pennsylvania Ave. 3-21-1wk-N

MEN'S USED suits in good condition, thoroughly cleaned. Potomac, 234 N. Centre, near viaduct. 3-22-4t-T

COCKER Spaniel puppies, phone 2122-W. 3-21-1wk-T

BOLSTER wagon, spring wagon, mower and hay rake, team and harness, Taschenberg, Twiggtown, Md. Sale March 31, 1 P. M. 3-22-6t-T

PREVENT Coccidiosis in baby chicks, use Guaiodine compound. Pet Shop, N. Centre St. 3-22-4t-T

FOUR TIRES, 450x20; battery charger; electric clock; greasing equipment. Call 4166-W. 3-23-4t-T

BUNNIES, phone 1536-J or 615 Montreal Ave. 3-23-3t-N

BESTEVER bedbug-roach exterminator. Write Box 2231, Station A. 3-23-3t-T

Selling out men's suits and topcoats, just in time for Easter, $16.70. Men's dress oxfords, 20 styles, measured to fit your feet, $3.95 to $8.85. Boys' dress oxfords for Easter wear and school, measured to fit your feet, $2.95 to $4.95. Men's, boys' and girls' gym shoes, thick soles, $3.75 to $4.98.
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2 FLOOR MODEL radios, 1 Singer sewing machine, pin ball machine. Phone 4546. 3-24-3t-N

TWO, children's coats, size 12; pair child's shoes, size 6. Good condition. Phone 2730-M. 3-23-3t-T

FRESH cows, loose hay. Hunter Tipton, North Branch. 3-24-3t-N

TWO metal beds, kitchen cabinet, library table, baby pen, extension table. Apply 511 Rose Hill Ave. 3-24-2t-T

HORSE manure. Phone 999. 3-15-tf-Th,Su,Mon

YARNS, Cordes. Phone 873. 3-25-3t-T

LEONARD ice box, good condition. 440 Williams St. 3-25-2t-T

EVERGREENS, Ruthella Fey, 4019-F21 or 2776. 3-24-31t-N

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

POULTRYMEN NOTICE—We carry full line chick feeders and fountains, also full line Kasco feeds. Alleghany Feed & Grain Co., Knox St. Siding. Phone 2199. 3-24-2wks-N

FIVE radios, $15 up. Phone 1600 or 125 Henry St. 3-24-2t-N

ELECTRIC Pin Ball machine good condition. Gentleman's Elgin wrist watch. Apply 344 Baltimore Ave. 3-25-2t-Su

28—Furnaces, Heating

STOKER service. Day or night. Phone 4015-F-14. 3-7-31t-N

28-A—Florists

Funeral Flowers — BOPP'S, 75 Baltimore St. Phone 2582

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29—Furniture, Stoves

USED FURNITURE Millenson's 317 Virginia 1-6-tf-T

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3-24-31t-N

31—Help Wanted

ORCHARD workers wanted at our Mineral County Orchard near Pinto. Boarding camp opens March 8th, straight board furnished. Highest orchard wages paid. Call 4006-F-23, Appalachian Orchards Inc. 3-3-tf-N

MESSENGERS, day work, 16 years or older, with or without bikes. Western Union. 3-24-tf-T

32—Help Wanted—Female

GIRL or woman for general housework, live in, private room and bath, good wages, 2 adults. Phone 1229. 3-21-tf-T

WOMAN for housework and take care one child. Write Box 870-B, % Times-News. 3-23-3t-N

WOMAN for bottling department, light pleasant work, good wages. Coca Cola Bottling Works. 3-24-1wk-T

EXPERIENCED cook. Call 1075 or apply 201 Washington St. 3-24-1wk-T

WOMAN, by day, for cleaning. Write Box 874-B, % Times-News. 3-24-3t-T

WOMEN — If you are industrious, responsible, establish your own business now. This is a postwar opportunity with splendid earning possibilities. Represent our company in your county—we shall train you at our expense. PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBED COSMETIC LABS. Inc., Box 30, Mt. Vernon, N. Y. 3-25-Su,M,Tu

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Young Women
25 to 35
To train as
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Experience Necessary
See Miss Scott
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77 N. Centre St. Cumberland
3-22-3t-T

33—Help Wanted, Male

MEN wanted for orchard work. New modern camp, furnace heated, shower, separate locker for each man, straight board, excellent food, top rates. Phone 4013-F-5 or 4013-F-3. Consolidate Orchard Co., Spring Gap, Md. 2-16-tf-T

MEN WANTED as handy men for relief work. Apply Superintendent, Miners' Hospital, Frostburg, Md. 3-22-1wk-T

WANTED, by food distributor, salesman to call on retail trade. Good salary. Write Box 872-B, % Times-News. 3-23-tf-T

JANITOR, white or colored, no firing, good wages, steady work. Coca Cola Bottling Works. 3-24-1wk-T

WANTED: Route salesman. Liberty Milk Co., 450 Race St. 3-24-3t-T

FARMER, married. Excellent living conditions. Box 875-B, % Times-News. 3-25-3t-T

BOY TO CARRY morning newspaper route in Ridgeley. Apply Times-News Circulation Department. 3-26-4t-N

OUR MONTHLY classified advertising rates are quite reasonable. You can run as few as five words as a minimum. You will find six-month and yearly contract rates even lower. Drop in or telephone or write for a complete classified advertising rate card today. Address Want Ad Department, Cumberland Times-News.

33—Help Wanted, Male

All Workers Subject to Priority Referral Must Be Referred by the U. S. Employment Service.

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U. S. Employment Service
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3-2-tf-N

MAN for general farm work. House and electricity furnished. Excellent opportunity. Apply John Hafer, 230 Baltimore Ave. 3-26-3t-N

37—Musical Instruments

CASH
for your used
Musical Instruments
Bring them in
THE MUSIC SHOP
5-7 S. Liberty St Phone 3230

38—Lost and Found

LOST: Tire and wheel, 29 x 550. Phone 129. Reward. 3-24-3t-T

LOST: Small coin purse containing sum of money. 121 N. Allegany St. 3-24-2t-N

LOST — Small white and black terrior dog, answers name Shorty. 311 Mt. View Drive. 3-25-3t-Su

LOST—At K of C Hall, fur neck piece. Liberal reward. Return to 801 Shriver Ave. 3-26-3t-N

39—Miscellaneous

BLOCK LAYING, cement work. W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W, 3485 1-28-tf-T

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REFRIGERATION, washer, repairs. Phone 3978-R. 12-1-tf-N

CARPENTER work, repairs. Phone 2042-W. 3-3-31t-T

TYPEWRITERS, adding machines repaired. Cumberland Business Service, E. M. Kirk, 1153 Frederick, phone 4102-W. 2-23-31t-N

PLASTERING. Moses Taylor, 512 Hill St. 3-18-1mo-Su

LAWN MOWERS sharpened, $1.50. Ernest Wray, 709 Shawnee Ave. Phone 923-R. 3-23-31t-N

SEWING machine repairing, all makes, parts, expert service. Phone 3626-W. 3-24-31t-T

40—Metal Weatherstripping

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41—Moving, Storing

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MOVING TO and from Baltimore. Phone 388 6-16-tf-T

42—Painting, Paperhanging

PAPERHANGING. Joe Barnhill, Phone 621-J. 4-17-tf-N

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46—Radios, Service

Guaranteed Radio Service
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305 Baltimore Ave.
PHONE 1225

47—Real Estate For Sale

FARM, 140 acres; 8-room house, bank barn, lots timber and pasture, fruit and good water. Everett Duckworth, Barton, Md. 3-19-tf-N

91½ ACRES, good house, water, electric. Hard surface road, 6 miles east of city. Write Box 806-B, % Times-News. 3-25-1t

MODERN 7 room brick residence, 563 Rosehill Ave., bath, hot water heat. Living room, dining room, kitchen and breakfast nook, 3 bedrooms, nursery, sun room. Tile front porch, full basement. Hardwood floors, detached garage, large level lot. Price $8750. Can be financed, $1750 down, balance under FHA insured mortgage. $60 monthly, like rent, include principal, interest, taxes and fire insurance. Phone 3786. 3-24-1wk-N

LOTS that are worth three times the price. Block from Fort Hill School $125. Seven at this price. For terms and map, Williams, 14 Market, Phone 21. 3-25-2t-Su

8—Roofing, Spouting

ROOFING, spouting, sheet metal work, warm air heating, air conditioning. Call Twigg 4598.

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2 times 9c wd. 1 week 25c wd.
Card of Thanks $1.50 daily—$1.00 Sunday
In Memoriam 15c line daily—10c line Sunday

51—Wanted To Buy

WANTED—Rabbits, 4 pounds up. Shober's Restaurant, Phone 925. 1-20-tf

FURNITURE, stoves, household appliances. Highest cash prices. Phone 4187. Allegany Furniture Store, 526 Virginia Ave. 9-1-tf-N

LET ONE CALL SELL IT ALL
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Good used pianos
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Phone 836

WANTED: Used Hoover sweeper. Write Box 844-B, % Times-News. 3-15-tf-N

SIX or seven-foot electric refrigerator. Box 856-B, % Times-News. 3-19-1wk-T

WANTED: Electric refrigerator. Phone 2569-J. 3-19-1wk-T

WANTED to buy from owner used coupe, good condition. Phone 3170-W or 1355-J. 3-20-tf-T

WANTED to buy 6 room house in North Cumberland or West Side. State price and address. Write Box 865-B % Times-News. 3-21-1wk-T

TWO to Five acres of land, with or without buildings, along main highway. Give full particulars. Write to Box 862-B, % Times-News. 3-23-3t-N

SEWING MACHINES—Will pay up to $35 for Singer Drophead machines and up to $100 for Singer Electrics. Singer Sewing Center 77 N. Centre St. Opposite City Hall. Phone 394. 9-1-tf-N

WANTED used Hammond solovox. Phone 631-M. 3-22-1wk-N

WANTED—Men's suits. Phone 4536. 3-22-4t-T

ELECTRIC, kitchen clock. Phone 3981-W. 3-23-3t-N

1929, 1930, 1931 FORD truck. Phone 4187. 3-24-3t-T

RABBITS. Does, 3½ to 4½ pounds; bucks, 4½ to 5½ pounds. 85 Bowery St., Frostburg. 3-25-3t-T

SIX to eight room modern home, good residential district. In or near Cumberland. Howard L. Huff, Phone 2423-J. 3-25-1wk-T

USED gas range. Write P. O. Box 884. 3-25-3t-T

53—Wanted To Rent

FOUR furnished rooms, 2 adults. Write Box 871-B, % Times-News. 3-23-3t-N

SIX ROOM house in good neighborhood by responsible party with refined family. Call or see H. C. Hoffmann at Rosenbaum's, 3rd floor. 3-25-3t-T

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ROOMS, HOUSES AND APARTMENTS
(Furnished or Unfurnished)
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12-10-Su-M-W-tf

54—Situations Wanted

PRACTICAL nurses available. Phone 1861-M 3-17-tf-N

Law Offices of MORGAN C. HARRIS, 111 Union Street, Cumberland, Maryland
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Isabelle M. Jackson vs. Walter L. Jackson, No. 18182 Equity, In the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland.

The object of this suit is to procure a decree divorcing the plaintiff A VINCULO MATRIMONII from the defendant.

The bill states that they were married on the 15th day of November, 1930, and that the defendant abandoned and deserted the plaintiff more than eighteen months last past before the filing of the Bill of Complaint and that he has declared his intention to live with her no longer and the separation is deliberate and final and beyond any reasonable expectation of reconciliation; that the plaintiff has been a resident of the State of Maryland for more than one year prior to the bringing of this action and the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and the plaintiff asks for an Order of Publication against the defendant and general relief.

It is thereupon this 10th. day of March, 1945, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, sitting in Equity, ordered that the plaintiff, by causing a copy of this Order to be inserted in some newspaper published in Allegany County once in each of four successive weeks on or before the 12th. day of April, 1945, giving notice to said absent defendant of the object and substance of this bill and warning him to appear in person or by solicitor on or before the 28th day of April, 1945, to show cause, if any he might have, why a decree ought not be passed as prayed.
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk
True Copy; Test:
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk.
Adv. N-Mar. 12-19-26-Apr. 2

Law Offices of Lewis M. Wilson, Attorney, 104 S. Liberty Street, City
Ancillary Administrator c.t.a. Notice
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, Ancillary Letters of Administration c.t.a. on the estate of Sara McCleave Duncan, late of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th. day of September, 1945. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
Given under my hand this 9th. day of March, 1945.
Lewis M. Wilson,
Ancillary Administrator c.t.a.
104 S. Liberty Street,
Cumberland, Md.
Adv. N-Mar. 12, 19, 26, Apr. 2

EXECUTRIX NOTICE
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters Testamentary on the estate of J. Homer Wilson late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 23rd day of September, 1945. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
Given under my hand this 23rd day of March, 1945.
JEANNE A. WILSON
108 Washington St.
City.
Adv. N-Mar. 26, Apr. 2, 9, 16

Casualty List Includes Six Tri-State Men

Five tri-state servicemen have been reported wounded and one man is said to be missing in action, according to casualty notifications.

Pvt. Garry Ridder, son of Mrs. Emma Ridder, Kitzmiller, suffered a slight concussion, bruises and shock in Germany March 2 and is now hospitalized in Luxembourg.

First Lt. Donald Critchfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Critchfield, West Union street, Somerset, Pa., was wounded in Germany March 3. He was previously wounded near St. Lo, France last August. He has been overseas since January, 1943, and served in Africa and Sicily. He has two brothers in service—First Lt. Robert Critchfield, France, and Aviation Cadet James Critchfield, Jr., Napier field, La.

Pvt. Andrew Zurvansky, son of Mrs. Mary Leshok, Quescreek, was wounded in Manila February 14. A member of a cavalry unit, he was inducted in September, 1943, and was sent overseas a year ago.

Seaman second class Luther Neil Kephart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louise Kephart, Limestone road, Keyser, W. Va., was shot in the arm in the South Pacific.

Cpl. Elmer I. Klavon, son of Mrs. Gertrude Klavon, RFD 3, Keyser, W. Va., has written his mother that he was wounded in the left shoulder by shrapnel in Germany March 7 and is now hospitalized there. He has received the Purple Heart. Formerly employed at Doven, O., after graduating from Paw Paw high school, he entered the army in September, 1942, and was sent overseas in February, 1944. He has served in England, France and Germany.

Aviation Radioman and Gunner 3-c Jackson Rea Sheffler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quinn R. Sheffler, Patterson's Creek, W. Va., a former employee in the Celanese plant, is listed as missing in the Pacific theater. He enlisted in February, 1943, and was sent overseas in November, 1944. A brother, Curtis Q. Sheffler, is with the navy in California.

Four Deeds Are Filed For Record Here

Four deeds and three purchase ord Friday in the office of the clerk ord yesterday in the office of the of circuit court.

Thomas Lohr Richards and Edward J. Ryan, trustees, sold a 250-acre farm on the Union Grove road five miles east of here to Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Windish, 51 North Centre street. Revenue stamps indicated that the purchase price was about $9,500.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Read sold a property on Williams street to Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon H. Burgess, at a consideration indicated by revenue stamps to be about $8,000.

Miss Vesta Lutz Fuller sold a property in Midland to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Wilson. Revenue stamps indicated that the purchase price was about $3,000. Mrs. Margaret Hice, Mt. Savage, granted a right of way on her lot at Newton to the Cumberland Parker Seam Coal Corporation, which is opening a coal mine there.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Albert E. Newell, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 9th. day of September, 1945. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
Given under my hand this 9th. day of March, 1945.
ADDIE MAY NEWELL,
Administratrix,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Cumberland, Md.
Adv. N-Mar. 12, 19, 26, Apr. 2

NOTICE OF AUDIT
In the Matter of the Estate of Albert E. Glisan, Deceased.
No. 15738 Equity. In the Circuit Court for Allegany County, Maryland. Cumberland, Maryland, March 23, 1945.
This is to give notice that an audit filed in the above entitled cause, distributing the funds in the hands of Howard W. Glisan, Trustee, will be ready for ratification on the 9th. day of April, 1945, unless cause to the contrary be shown.
ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk
Advertisement N-M-24-28

BANK STATEMENTS

Charter No. 1519 Reserve District No. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF CUMBERLAND IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 20, 1945. PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including $ none overdrafts)	$ 936,315.93
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	7,683,142.23
Corporate stocks (including $19,250.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	31,250.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,719,028.14
Bank premises owned $149,000.00, furniture and fixtures $2,984.01	151,984.01
(Bank premises owned are subject to $ none liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	71,119.02
Other assets	116,559.21
TOTAL ASSETS	$10,709,398.54
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$ 3,174,763.13
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,085,167.15
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	970,451.04
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	582,933.82
Deposits of banks	161,515.01
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	7,689.92
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$9,982,520.07
Other liabilities	1,192.64
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$ 9,983,712.71
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(a) Class A preferred, total par $215,625.00, retirable value	$215,625.00
(Rate of dividends on retirable values is 3%)	
(c) Common stock, total par	$275,000.00
TOTAL	$ 490,625.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	85,060.83
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	725,685.83
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$10,709,398.54
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$ 2,144,641.77
(e) TOTAL	$ 2,144,641.77
Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	1,174,661.87
(d) TOTAL	$ 1,174,661.87

State of Maryland, County of Allegany, ss:
I, John H. Mosner, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN H. MOSNER, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of March, 1945.
WALTER C. ORT, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
TASKER G. LOWNDES
CHARLES Z. HESKETT
HARRY J. BARTON
Directors
Advertisement

Charter No. 6399 Reserve District No. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BARTON IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 20, 1945. PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including $ no overdrafts)	$ 20,372.81
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	496,700.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	51,600.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	110,420.75
Corporate stocks (including $1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	1,500.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	216,469.42
Bank premises owned $1.00, furniture and fixtures $ none	1.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$897,063.98
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$333,891.13
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	443,765.50
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,241.69
Deposits of banks	610.46
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	518.95
TOTAL DEPOSITS	$780,027.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$780,027.73
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par $25,000.00	$ 25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits	42,036.25
Reserves	25,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	117,036.25
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	$897,063.98

State of Maryland, County of Allegany, ss:
I, P. A. LAUGHLIN, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
P. A. LAUGHLIN, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of March, 1945.
K. R. MALCOLM, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
P. H. GALLAGHER
B. M. MOWBRAY
HOWARD C. DIXON
Directors.
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Governor Offers To Hold Hearing On City Bills

Mayor and Council Are Invited to Annapolis Tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Governor Herbert R. O'Conor yesterday invited the mayor and council to come to Annapolis tomorrow at 2 p. m., at which time a hearing will he held in the state house in connection with legislative bills affecting Cumberland.

The invitation from the governor was received yesterday by Mayor Thomas S. Post and will be submitted to members of the council today for their approval of rejection.

Veto Asked on Bills

Mayor Post said the governor recently was asked to veto certain bills pertaining to Cumberland after they were approved by the Senate and House of Delegates. At that time, the state's chief executive was advised that the city would be represented at Annapolis if the governor desired to conduct a hearing on the bills.

Eight legislative bills pertaining to Cumberland have been introduced in the state legislature since the opening of the 1945 session in January. Only one, however, has been given approval of the the mayor and council and that was the $150,000 bond issue for Memorial Hospital Nurses' Home.

A house bill providing that the city publish a complete financial statement in a newspaper at the close of the fiscal year was killed in the Senate but there are seven other city bills at Annapolis and the council would like to have the governor kill certain measures with his veto power.

Five Sent to Governor

Five of the seven bills have been approved by both houses and are now in the governor's hands. They are:

HB 336—Relating to experience required to take tests for chief, assistant chief and lieutenant of police department and chief and assistant chief of fire department.

HB 617—Memorial Hospital Nurses' Home $150,000 bond issue.

SB 272 — City bonus bill which gives employes of city ten per cent increase in wages and imposes special tax of five cents on each $100 assessable property. Based on wages received prior to April 1, 1943, employes receive 20 per cent increase and property owners pay fifteen cents special tax on each $100 worth of assessable property.

SB 313—Increases number of days off monthly for members of police department from two to four.

SB 314—Increases number of days off monthly for members of fire department from two to four.

The latest bills to be introduced are HB 389, repealing a section of the law which prohibits pensioned members of the fire department from running for elective offices and SB 618, which provides for a revision of the city charter.

Lt. Col. John Golden Will Drill CAP Cadets

Lt. Col. John Golden will drill the CAP studets tonight at the armory, according to Maj. Arthur Lyem, head of the local CAP. Lt. Col. Golden is well acquainted with this role, as he was in charge of the drillingf at the armory prior to his induction into armed service.

The lieutenant colonel will also give a talk to the cadets concerning his experiences in the European theater of war, and will present an interesting display of trophies he accumulated in the line of duty.

Maj. Lyem announced last night that local Squadron No. 331, will receive two pieces of expensive equipment this week from the army air force. This equipment is for the use of the cadets and will be on display at Fort Hill high school upon its arrival. The equipment includes a reflectone trainer, used for aircraft identification and range-finder, and a basic turret trainer. The latter is approximately the same as the turret used on the army medium and heavy bombers. It is electrically operated and includes a projector which flashes the aircraft on a screen. The operator can adjust it from side to side with his feet, and up and down with his wrist, until the aircraft is sighted correctly for firing aim.

Sends Medal Home

The Purple Heart medal awarded to Staff Sgt. Melvin Arrington, who was wounded in Germany, March 1, has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Arrington, 186 Main street, Ridgeley. Sgt. Arrington has been in the army for twenty-eight months, and served with the Tenth armored division.

Ration Roundup

(As of Monday, March 26)
[By The Associated Press]

Meats, fats, etc.—Book Four red stamps Q5 through S5 good through March 31. Stamps T5 through X5 good through April 28; Y5 and Z5 and A2 through D2 good through June 2; E2 through J2 good through June 30.

Processed foods—Book Four blue stamps X5 through Z5 and A2 and B2 good through March 31. Stamps C2 through G2 good through April 28; H2 through M2 good through June 2; N2 through S2 good through June 30.

Sugar—Book Four stamp 35 valid for five pounds through June 2. Next stamp scheduled to be validated May 1.

Shoes—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.

Gasoline—15-A coupons good everywhere for four gallons each through June 21. B-5, C-5, B-6, C-6, B-7 and C-7 coupons good everywhere for five gallons each. B-5 and C-5 coupons expire March 31.

Fuel oil—Period One through five coupons good everywhere through heating year. Last year's period four and five coupons also valid.

State OPA Plans For Distribution Of Canning Sugar

War price and rationing boards in Maryland will begin issuing sugar for canning fruits and making jellies on May 1, J. William Eggleston, state rationing executive, announced yesterday.

This year housewives will get all of their home canning sugar by apply to their local boards. No ration stamps will be good for canning sugar. Boards will determine the amount of sugar needed, based on information furnished by the housewife.

The total amount of canning sugar allowed for each person will not be more than twenty pounds this year. No more than 160 pounds a family can be allowed even if there are more than eight persons in it.

For canning fruits or fruit juices, the allowances will be on the basis of one pound of sugar for each four quarts to be canned. With the twenty pound maximum allowance, five pounds of sugar for each person will be allowed for canning vegetables and for making jams, jellies, relishes, catsup and the curing of meats.

The local boards will provide a form for each applicant to fill out. A family may apply only twice for canning sugar this year. Applications must be made before October 31. No applications will be accepted by boards prior to May 1, 1945.

OPA also announced yesterday that shoe ration books issued to discharged servicemen hereafter will contain two valid shoe stamps instead of a single stamp ordinarily allowed. Granting discharged servicemen the use of two regular shoe ration stamps is part of the program, OPA officials said, to adjust OPA regulations to assist veterans in their return to civilian life. Boards have been advised that the new ruling applies to all books issued to veterans after March 28, 1945.

Sugar stamp No. 35 is the only one that is good now. It may be used through June 2. Another sugar stamp will become valid on May 1, providing an overlap of one month.

DISCHARGED WACs ARE ENTITLED TO THEIR OLD JOBS

All women who left civilian jobs and enlisted directly in the WAC are entitled to reinstatement in their old jobs or assistance in securing a new position after their honorable discharge from the service, Sgt. Ruth Baker, local WAC recruiter, said yesterday.

Such women must have been employed on a permanent basis by the federal government or a private employer, and must have left the position after May 1, 1940, and directly entered the armed forces, the recruiter said.

Application for re-employment must be made within ninety days after receiving an honorable discharge from the WAC, and the applicant must be capable of performing the duties of her former position. Employers will not be required to reinstate such women if the former's circumstances have changed so as to make re-employment impossible or unreasonable in the same or equivalent position, Sgt. Baker said.

After their reinstatement, returned WACS will have the right to participate in all insurance and other benefits of the employer in effect when they entered the service. Unless there is cause for doing so, their employers may not discharge them for one year after such reinstatement.

Local selective service boards, the United States Employment Service, and veteran counselors will aid honorably discharged WACS in obtaining reinstatement or new positions, Sgt. Baker added.

Brother of Local Woman Receives Bronze Star Medal

WITH THE NINTH INFANTRY DIVISION IN GERMANY — Pfc. William L. Foard, brother of Mr. James S. Foard, 1011 South Virginia avenue, Cumberland, Maryland, has received the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action against the enemy. He is a member of the Sixtieth infantry, a regiment of the famous Eighth division.

Pfc. Foard's citation reads in part: "While acting as first scout during an advance against heavily fortified enemy positions, Pfc. Foard was wounded by an enemy artillery shell which landed nearby. Realizing the seriousness of the situation, Pfc. Foard signaled the rest of the squad to keep covered and refused all medical aid in order to protect his men. Ignoring his protests, two men moved forward and carried him to a position of safety. Pfc. Foard's courageous actions and complete disregard for personal safety were a credit to himself and to the armed forces of the United States."

Pfc. Foard is also the recipient of the Purple Heart for wounds received in action, and the Combat Infantryman DS Badge, awarded for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy in a major operation.

He left the United States for overseas service September 11, 1944 and has participated in the campaign of Germany.

Pc. Foard was inducted into the army on March 28, 1944. His wife, Mrs. Lillian M. Foard resides at 610 Putnam street, Findlay, Ohio.

Holy Week Services Will Be Held by First Presbyterian

Holy week services at the First Presbyterian church, Monday 7 p. m., The Church School will present the "King of Kings", a motion picture. Wednesday 7:30 p. m., the pastor will conduct a devotional service. Thursday 8 p. m., the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Friday 8 p. m., Good Friday musical service, with Words from the Scripture, and music from "The Crucifixion" (Stainer).

Pfc. Robert Cowden Returns to States

Wounded in Germany last November 18 while serving with an infantry unit of the Ninth army, Pfc. Robert L. Cowden, 21, son of Mrs. A. H. Cowden, 203 Beall street, has been returned to the United States and is a patient in Halloran General hospital, Staten Island, N. Y.

The local soldier, who suffered a machinegun wound in the left foot, will soon be transferred to another hospital nearer to his home. He has a brother in service, Sgt. A. Herbert Cowden, an armament mechanic with the Ninth air force in Belgium.

Kimble Revives Road Board Bill

A bill providing payments to the Allegany county commissioners and their clerk for services rendered as road commissioners has been revived in the Senate by Robert B. Kimble, of Allegany county, and has received a favorable report on second reading.

The measure, SB 137, was introduced January 11 by Senator Kimble but was later killed by the Allegany county legislators. The bill provides annual payments of $600 each to the three commissioners and clerk.

Sheriff Bill Amended

Senate Bill No. 544 has been amended to provide for wage increases of $360 each for four Allegany county deputy sheriffs instead of $600 as in the original measure. The increase is from $1,800 to $2,160 instead of $2,400.

Delegate J. Milton Dick's bill, HB 639, relating to the refilling of ditches, trenches or excavations made by strip mining operations, has been killed by the House Judiciary Committee. This was a state-wide measure.

Other bills killed in committee were Delegate Charles M. See's HB 211, requiring employers to give employe's statements of all deductions from their pay and Dick's HB 347, providing for abolishment of the State Merit System. The women's jury bill, HB 144, of which Mrs. Lulu Boucher was co-sponsor, was killed in the Senate.

Attorneys' Bill Passes

A statewide bill, SB 532, introduced by Senators George and Waller and approved by both houses increased the salary of the Allegany county state's attorney from $3,000 to $4,000 and the assistant state's attorney from $2,400 to $3,000. The county investigator's salary is increased from $2,400 to $3,000 in an Allegany county measure, Senate Bill No. 599.

The last Allegany county legislative measure of the present session was introduced Friday by Senator Kimble. It was SB 634, relating to the commissions of the clerk of the Allegany County Circuit Court for issuing alcoholic beverage licenses.

Governor O'Conor signed six Allegany county repealers on Saturday—Senate bills Nos. 131, 132, 133, 134, 135 and 139. All of the bills repeal obsolete laws.

Forum Season Closes Tonight with Richard Harkness as Speaker

The fifth and final lecture of the 1944-45 Cumberland Community Forum series will be given by Richard Harkness, noted commentator of the National Broadcasting Company, this evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Allegany high school auditorium.

C. William Gilchrist, chairman of the forum committee of the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce, will introduce the speaker.

The news commentator's subject will be "Behind the Scenes in Washington Today."

Harkness replaces Dorothy Crawford, who was scheduled to appear here Tuesday but was forced to cancel her engagement on account of illness.

Tonight's program will mark the close of the fifth forum season sponsored by the Junior association of commerce Approximately 450 persons are expected to hear Harkness

Schonter Furniture Store Damaged by Fire

A fire which began in a garage adjoining the Cloyd S. Schonter furniture store, 128 North Centre street, yesterday at 6:15 p. m. slightly damaged the first floor of the building and caused considerable smoke damage to the contents of the store.

Central Fire Company, which extinguished the blaze, found the fierce flames from boxes stored in the garage had burst through windows of the store and damaged some of the floor covering stored against the wall.

Central firemen also extinguished a blaze in the driveway of the City Furniture Company, 38 North Mechanic street. The fire, which began in boxes stored near the delivery doors, had broken the glass in the doors when firemen arrived.

East Side firemen extinguished a stubborn brush and grass fire on Shriver's hill behind the 200 block of Independence street yesterday at 2:55 p. m. The blaze was brought under control after an hour and twenty minutes, firemen said.

East Side firemen also extinguished a slight blaze at the Walter Leibrant restaurant, 247 Henderson avenue, yesterday at 1 a. m. Firemen said the blaze started from a cigaret thrown into an ash can.

Former Cumberland Pilot Completes 30 Missions

First Lieut. John F. Peacock, 24, of Baltimore, a native of Cumberland, serving as a pilot with the Eighth air Force in England, has completed more than thirty combat bombing missions over enemy territory.

Lt. Peacock has received the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters and is a member of the Three Hundred and Eighty-eighth Bombing Group cited by the President.

He participated in bombing attacks on military targets in Berlin, on oil refineries at Merseburg, Zeitz, Politz, Dusseldorf, Hamburg and Ludwigishaven, and communications at Hamm, Bremen and Frankfort.

Col. Henderson Commends ASTRP Tests for Youths

285 Now in Training at VPI; Exams Scheduled Here on April 12

Col. George Henderson, veteran of the First World war, former mayor of Cumberland and present commandant at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., recommends the Army Specialized Training Reserve Program as "excellent training for high school youths."

During his recent visit here Col. Henderson commended the program while in conversation with Ralph R. Webster, principal of Allegany high school, and the recommendation is timely because of the fact that another group of young men from Allegany high school will be given the opportunity of qualifying forASTRP in the county high schools Thursday, April 12.

Discussing the program, Col. Henderson stated that at the present time 285 youths of preinduction age are receiving free college instruction at V.P.I. and he expects enrollment at the Virginia school to increase to 500 with the 1945 allotment from the various high schools.

Registration at the high schools is now under way and arrangements for the tests are in charge of the principals.

307 Have Taken Exams

This is the third successive year the tests are to be conducted in Allegany county. Ninety-two took the examinations on March 15, 1944, Frostburg Teachers college leading with 35 registrants followed in order by LaSalle 17, Allegany and Fort Hill, 12 each; Bruce, 6, and Central and Barton, 5 each.

Tests were inaugurated in the county April 2, 1943, when a total of 215 took the examinations at seven schools, namely: Allegany 70, Frostburg Teachers 38, Fort Hill 35, Bruce 30, LaSalle 17, Central 14 and Barton 11.

A large percentage of the 307 youths have or are now receiving pre-induction instruction at the nation's leading colleges and universities.

Those elegible for this program are youths who have applied or who appear at the designated schools or colleges before 9 a. m. on examination day, students who will be less than 17 years and nine months old next July 1 and those who will be high school graduates on that date. The tests are being conducted to ascertain who are best fitted for the army's specialized training reserve program and the navy's college program. Examinations are designed to sample the aptitude and general knowledge of the nation's pre-induction age youths.

Tests Last Two Hours

The two-hour examinations are divided into three parts, namely:

1. Testing the knowledge of the meaning and use of words.
2. Questions about scientific matters which are of general knowledge.
3. Problems in arithmetic.

Successful completion of the test is tantamount to enlistment in the armed forces and a student would not have to enter the army or navy reserve program if offered a scholarship.

Continuance of the ASTRP is definite proof that the program has paid rich dividends. Not only has it been a great benefit to the army as a whole, but it also has rewarded the individual participant far beyond what ordinarily would be expected.

Between now and April 12 the story of the ASTRP should reach every young man who is eligible to take part in the program. None should be allowed to miss this opportunity for greater service to his country.

Trained Soldiers Needed

Each day on the far-flung battlefronts of the world it becomes more and more apparent that the trained soldier is the one who can most efficiently carry on the war to a successful conclusion. The young men who have completed their ASTRP training are helping write the blazing pages of American history that will mark every victory of the American forces.

The program continues its policy of placing major emphasis on classroom and supervised study. The time spent on military and physical training is sufficient to enable the young men to fully develop and co-ordinate their bodies.

LAND, AIR AWARDS ARE PRESENTED TO CPL. MULLIGAN

The Bronze Star and Air Medal have been awarded Cpl. Eugene H. Mulligan, Cumberland, for his heroic achievement in combat on land with a field artillery battalion and for meritorious achievemnt while in the air, according to word received from the War department by his mother, Mrs. Charles A. Mulligan, Ridgeley.

Answering the question of how a foot soldier may receive an aerial award, the citation accompanying the medal pointed out that Cpl. Mulligan, made thirty-five reconnaissance sorties in combat in a Piper Cub, a small-type airplane, against the enemy from Aug. 18, 1944 to Oct. 2, 1944 in France.

Cpl. Mulligan was presented the Bronze Star for action described thusly in an accompanying citation: "The soldier was a member of a detail of observers instructed to establish af orward observation post on a large hill mass which was for the most part still occupied by the enemy. Cpl. Mulligan fearlessly scaled the precipitous face of the mountain, exposed to enemy observation and subjected to mortar and machniegun fire, throug hdriving rain toward the summit.

"He and his comrades chose an advantageous point on ap rominent ridge which, while offering no protection from enemy fire, afforded excellent observation of the entire front. He helped establish the post and maintained it until his party was relieved."

Cpl. Mulligan entered the service in June, 1940, and has been overseas two years. Two brothers are in uniform — Pvt. Raymond Mulligan, in Germany, and Cpl. Charles Mulligan, located in France.

Ten County Men Are Reported As Casualties

Hawkins Brothers, of Grahamtown, Killed; Local Man Dies

Among the ten Allegany county servicemen who have been reported casualties in the latest notifications are two Grahamtown brothers and a local man who have died in action, three local men who have been wounded and another Cumberland soldier who has been reported captured.

The Grahamtown brothers, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Watkin Hawkins, are Pvt. Robert E. Hawkins, 18, who was lost when his ship was sunk Christmas eve while crossing the English channel, and Cpl. James T. Hawkins, who was wounded January 6 in Belgium and died Jauuary 7.

Cramer Died March 3

Staff Sgt. Ward W. Cramer, 32, husband of Mrs. Mary Brennan Cramer, 107 Polk street, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cramer, Cameron, W. Va., died in Germany March 3. He had previously been reported missing at that time.

He has two children—James Edward, 4, and Andrea Mary, 2. Sgt. Cramer entered volunteer officer training school, Fort Eustis, Va., in May, 1943, was discharged and then drafted in September, 1943. He was formerly employed at the Celanese plant. He was sent overseas last November and fought with the infantry. He held the Combat Infantryman Badge.

Besides his widow and children, he leaves three brothers—John Cramer, Clairsville, O., Ralph D. Cramer, Cumberland, and Glenn Cramer, Deep Valley, W. Va.; and three sisters—Mrs. Howard Ganoe, Baltimore, Mrs. Erle Fountains, San Diego, and Mrs. Donald Mills, San Bernardino, Cal.

Pvt. Paul M. Bucklew, Jr., 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bucklew, 18 Putnam street, with a combat engineering outfit, was wounded in Germany March 9. A former Fort Hill student and an employee of the B. and O. company, he entered the army in February, 1943, and was sent overseas in October, 1943. A brother, Pfc. Richard W. Bucklew, was wounded in France last July.

Local Man Wounded

Cpl. John A. Wiley, husband of Mrs. Clara R. Wiley, who resides with their two children at 8 Marion street, was wounded in Belgium December 19 and is now hospitalized at Camp Pickett, Va. Formerly employed by the Kennewey Company, he entered the army in October, 1943 and was sent overseas seven months ago. He holds the Purple Heart and the Combat Infantry Badge.

Pvt. Robert Craver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Craver, Vindex, was seriously wounded while in Belgium and is now hospitalized in England.

Pfc. John Crack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Crack, Flintstone, is now hospitalized in the Philippines after having been wounded in Manila where he fought with the Twenty-fifth infantry division. He has been in the service eighteen months and overseas a year. A brother, Willis Crack, also serves in the army.

Pfc. Roy Means, son of Mrs. Nellie Redinger, Flintstone, was wounded in the European theater of operations.

Pfc. Charles W. Welsh, 35, husband of Mrs. Ora E. Welsh, 427 Baltimore avenue, and father of a son, Charles, and two daughters, Donnajean and Dolores, was wounded in Germany March 14. Formerly employed by the Kelly Engineering Company, he went into the army in January, 1944 and has been overseas four months. He is the son of Mrs. Sally Welsh, 353 Baltimore avenue.

Sgt. Robert M. Lannon, 29, son of Mrs. Charles Wotring, 119 West First street, a member of an engineering outfit, was captured by the Germans in Luxembourg, December 22.

Local News in Brief

The Rotary club will hold its weekly meeting tomorrow at 12:15 p. m. at Allegany high school at which time a vocational program will be presented with Ralph R. Webster, principal of Allegany, acting as master of ceremonies. The Rotarians will eat their lunch in the school cafeteria and will be entertained by the school's choral club under the direction of Mrs. Lee Winter, music teacher.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Central YMCA will be held today at 7:30 p. m. in the "Y". Robert Sisson, who recently succeeded Everett R. Johnson as general secretary, will attend the board meeting for the first time.

Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, will hold a regular meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m. at the post home. Russell Paupe, adjutant, yesterday announced that the post now has 920 members, eighty less than the membership goal set for this year.

"The Eternal Gift", a ten-reel religious motion picture, will be shown Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock at the Knights of Columbus home, North Mechanic street. Admission will be free and non-catholics are invited as well as catholics. Right Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, noted orator will be the narrator.

Salem Chapter, No. 18, Royal Arch Masons, will start a class of candidates Tuesday evening, March 27. The class has been named the Douglas A. Bauer class, in memory of the late Mr. Bauer, who served as secretary of Salem chapter for many years. Fourteen members are enrolled in the class.

Samson Visits Here

Pharmacist's Mate First Class Angelo Riffle Samson, Buckhannon, W. Va., former linotype operator on the Times-News was in Cumberland Saturday on his way to a new assignment in Philadelphia, after being in Pacific for thirty months. Samson was in North Africa before going to the Pacific. He has participated in major engagements in both areas.

Sgt. Thomas, Moscow, Wins Silver Star Medal

First Sgt. John G. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Thomas, Moscow, has received the Silver Star for gallantry in action with Company C of the Ninth armored infantry of the Sixth armored division at Dahnen, Germany. He is on a thirty-day furlough.

A graduate of Barton high school and State Teachers college, Frostburg, Sgt. Thomas taught in Catonsville six months before he went into the service three and a half years ago. He went into action with Patton's Third army in France.

Franklin S. Kennell, Train Conductor, Dies in Hospital

Franklin Sylvester Kennell, 66, 767 Maryland avenue, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad passenger conductor, died yesterday afternoon at 3:40 o'clock in Memorial hospital where he was admitted Friday.

Mr. Kennell began work for the B. and O. at Meyersdale forty-four years ago and was conductor on the Cumberland to Pittsburgh run until he became ill about six months ago. He was admitted to the hospital after he became critically ill at his home Friday.

He was born near Meyersdale, Pa., the son of the late John and Elizabeth Boone. He was a member of the Order of Railroad Conductors and of First Baptist church.

Surviving are two sons, John Homer Kennell and Arthur E. Kennell, city policeman, and one daughter, Mrs. Frances Travis, all at home; one brother, Lewis Kennell, Akron, Ohio, and three grandchildren. His wife, Mrs. Mary Ellen Kennell, died six years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Hixon T. Bowersox, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will officiate. Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery.

RICHARD RANDOLPH

Richard Randolph, former official of the Bethlehem Steel Company, died Saturday at Easton, Pa, where he had lived in recent years. His widow, the late Mrs. Tillie Bender Randolph, was a native of this city.

He is survived by one son and two daughters. Mrs. Emma Gramlich, Mrs. C. E. Keller and Mrs. Ida Glisan, all of this city, and Mrs. Edward Carter, Eustis, Fla., are sisters-in-law and A. R. Bender, this city, is a brother-in-law.

MRS. ALICE LLOYD RITES

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Virginia Lloyd, 63, widow of William Lloyd, Frankfort road, near Wiley Ford, W. Va., who died Friday evening in Memorial hospital, will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Old Furnace Church of the Brethren, Old Furnace road.

The Rev. George E. Baughman, pastor of First Methodist church, will officiate. Interment will be in Abe cemetery, near Wiley Ford.

HENRY HYDE RITES

Services were held in the Stein funeral home Saturday for Henry C. Hyde, 85, of 430 North Mechanic street, who died Wednesday noon in Allegany hospital.

The Rev. Edwin W. Saylor, pastor of First Baptist church, officiated, and interment was in Rose Hill cemetery.

Pallbearers were Henry Rudolph, Bruce Crothers, Otto Barchesi, Harry J. Cioni, Earl M. Steele and Chester King.

MASON SMITH RITES

Funeral services for Mason M. Smith, 58, Deer Park, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad engineer and veteran of World War I, who died Friday evening in Aspinwall, Pa., Veterans hospital, will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Deer Park Methodist church. The body will be at the George funeral home here until noon today.

MISS MARY M. HUDSON

Miss Mary M. Hudson, R.N., 638 Washington street, died Saturday afternoon in Allegany Hospital where she had been a patient since March 12.

A native of Williamsport, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late Thomas and Martha Ellen Fulk Hudson.

She was a graduate of the Allegany Hospital School of Nursing and was a member of the Centre Street Methodist church and taught in the primary department at the church Sunday school. She was also a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Miss Hudson is survived by two sisters, Mrs. M. Lee Harbaugh and Mrs. Agnes R. Grimes, this city, a nephew, Charles W .Grimes, Sr., and a great-nephew, Charles W. Grimes, Jr., serving with the medical corps in England.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home. The Rev. Walter Marion Michael, pastor of Centre Street Methodist church, will officiate and will be assisted by the Rev. Lee H. Richcreek, pastor of Central Methodist church. Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery.

JERRY TAYLOR

Jerry Taylor, about 70, who lived with his son-in-law, Leonard Iser, Dawson, died late yesterday morning near his home.

Dr. Linnie H. Corson, deputy county medical examiner, who investigated, said Mr. Taylor suffered a heart attack and set the time of his death at 11:45 a. m.

The man was on his way to his farm in nearby West Virginia, Dr. Corson said, and collapsed as he was walking on the Western Maryland Railway tracks. He had been in failing health for a number of years, Corson was told.

MRS. PETER BAREIS

Mrs. Amelia Bareis, 74, wife of Peter Bareis, 525 Fayette street, died last evening at 7:50 in Allegany hospital where she was admitted Friday afternoon.

A native of this city, she was a daughter of the late Francis C. and Teresa Workman Reichert. She was a member of SS. Peter and Paul Catholic church.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Thomas M.; Joseph and Francis L., all at home, and one sister, Mother Thomas, of Ursuline academy, Paola, Kan.

The body is at the Kight funeral home. Funeral arrangements had not been completed last evening.

MRS. CHARLES E. COMPHER

Mrs. Grace Elizabeth Michael Compher, 67, wife of Charles Elmer Compher, Adamstown, died Thursday in Frederick hospital.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Klein funeral home, Frederick. The Rev. Mr. Allis, pastor of Doubs Methodist church, officiated. Interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Frederick.

She is survived by her husband, Charles E. Compher, retired railway mail clerk, five children, one sister, and two brothers, one of whom is the Rev. Marion Michael, pastor of Centre Street Methodist church, here.

Mrs. Compher has visited her brother here on several occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Compher lived in this city about thirty years ago when he was employed as B. and O. mail clerk.

MRS. MARY ALBRIGHT

HYNDMAN, Pa. — Mrs. Mary Catherine Albright, 70, died at her home in Hyndman yesterday morning after an illness of a week. She was the widow of Jacob Oscar Albright.

The daughters of the late John and Lucy Shroyer Shaffer, she was a member of the Hyndman Methodist church and the Hyndman Rebbecca Lodge.

She is survived by a son, Lloyd Albright, Hyndman; a brother, Ralph Shaffer, Hyndman, and a sister, Mrs. Callie Poorbaugh, Mt. Vernon, O.

Services will be held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the Zeigler funeral home and burial will be in the Hyndman cemetery. The Rev. G. G. Jones of the Methodist church will officiate.

SOLOMON LEYDIG DIES

Solomon J. Leydig, 92, native of Somerset county and former resident of Gravel Pit, Pa., died yesterday morning at the home of his son, T. I. Leydig, Pittsburgh. He was a son of the late Solomon and Mary Troutman Leydig. His wife, Mrs. Sarah Ellen Sides Leydig died in 1937.

He leaves another son, Raymond Leydig, Hyndman, and three daughters—Mrs. Mary Smiley, Cumberland; Mrs. Paul Wise, Hyndman, and Mrs. H. R. Livingstone, McKeesport, Pa. He was a member of the Lybarger Lutheran church.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Lybarger church with buria in the church cemetery. The Rev. H. M. Petra, pastor, will officiate.

Receives Discharge

A medical discharge from the United States Army has been given William R. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph George Davis, 716 Yale street. Davis, who was in the service twenty-six months has been a patient in McCloskey General hospital, Temple, Texas.

Tire Shortage Growing Worse, Connolly Says

Stating that more than 5,000 tires are ruined each day on the European front alone, William B. Connolly, state tire rationing officer, said Friday night that the tire situation is worse today than it has ever been, adding that there is no hope of improvement for months to come.

Connolly presided at a meeting of truck operators and tire dealers in the city hall auditorium. He addressed an audience of 100 persons.

The tire shortage has become acute because of the lack of crude rubber, sufficient numbers of synthetic rubber plants, manpower, and critical materials, Connolly pointed out. He urged all motorists to conserve their tires in the interest of the war effort.

Connolly was introduced by William J. Eggleston, deputy director and state rationing officer.

Two army officers also spoke at the meeting. Lt. Col. R. E. Smith, chief of operations, Third transportation zone, said that the army needs every available tire which can be spared from civilian use. Capt. J. J. Kulvartis, chief of highway operations in the Third transportation zone, declared that conservation of tires must be adhered to regardless of the type and amount of driving done.

George Shorey, tire maintenance engineer for the W. C. Cowan Company, Baltimore, and a member of the state emergency truck tire board, discussed methods of conserving truck tires.

Other speakers included Paul Norris, acting chairman of the emergency tire board; James Hines, who represented the Office of Defense Transportation; Roland Long, secretary of the Independent Tire Dealers and Recap Association of Baltimore; and Russell S. Copeland, state tire examiner.

A feature of the meeting was the showing of a motion picture, "Highballing to Victory", which showed army trucks in action overseas.

Brett Completes Course; Goes to California

Henry R. Brett, 19, son of Mrs. Sue Brett, 220 Washington street, was graduated recently from the naval training school (electric) at St. Louis, Mo., naval armory, the Public relations office of the Ninth Naval district headquarters has announced.

Brett arrived in California last week where he will receive further duty orders to sea or some shore station where his training will help him earn the petty officer rate of electrician's mate third class.

Selection to attend the school was made on the basis of his recruit training aptitude test scores. The completed course of study included practical use of electrical tools, soldering, wiring, diagramming and repairing of telephone circuits. A theoretical phase included principles of electricity and magnetims.

Prior to going to St. Louis Brett was stationed at the Great Naval Training Center and before going to Great Lakes he was at Franklin and Marshall college at Lancaster, Pa.

Legislature Will Act on 27 County And City Bills

30 Passed by Both Hous Five Killed out of 62 Introduced

Final action on twenty-seven sixty-two legislative bills pertai to Allegany county and City Cumberland will be taken in General Assembly at Annapolis week as the 1945 sessions draws close.

At the deadline time for introd ing bills last Friday, a checkup vealed that out of a total of six two submitted by the Allegany co ty delegation and the state sena thirty were approved by both ho and sent to the governor, five been killed and twenty-seven approved by either the Senate House or had no moved out committee in the house in w they were introduced.

62 County Bills Listed

Senator Robert B. Kimble has troduced a total of thirty-se county bills, including twenty repealers, and four city bills, total of forty-one. Twenty-one have been introduced by the co delegation—seventeen county, cluding two repealers, and four measures.

A total of fifty-four county and eight city bills have been troduced. Four county and one bill have been killed and twe five county and six city meas have been approved by both hou

Up for Action This Week

County bills introduced in Senate up for consideration week include:

137—Road board compensa bill. 521—Juvenile Court. Raises wages of deputy sheriffs —Increases salary of county in tigator. 600—Increased compe tion of four constables. 609— creases salary of trial magistra 616—Water bond issue for Fr burg. 620—Renumbering Alle county laws. 634—Relates to mission of clerk of Circuit Co Also eight repealers numbered 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569 and 61

County House bills yet to be upon include:

239—Minimum wages for roads contracts. 507—Limits co to two tax assessors. 508—F salary of supervisor of assessme 676—Provides $25,000 bond issue Midland school. 807—Incre wages of superintendent of co home and Sylvan Retreat and rate of county road employes. Sets time for commissioners to view assessments. 848—Relates mine cave-in regulations. 857—P vides bounties on certain vermi

City bills yet to be considered HB 889, relating to pensioned men running for elective offices SB 618, provides for revision of charter.

Five Bills Killed

Bills killed include: City—HB relating to publication of an financial statement; county— 587, County Licensing bill; HB 6 Liquor Control Board; SB 4 Legalizing Code of Public L Laws; SB 473—$3,000 for publica of Local Public Laws.

Paul Webb Is Winner Of Duke Bible Class Marble Tournament

Paul Webb, eleven years old, the first of a series of marble to naments held yesterday under auspices of the Duke Memorial ble Class on the Central YMCA nis courts. He defeated Car Shore in the finals.

The winner was presented a ver dollar by Robert Sisson, gen secretary of the "Y."

Ninety-two boys participated the tourney which was supervi by Eugene Hopkins, assisted by committee of the Bible class.

Another tourney will be held latter part of this month. The w ner will meet Webb for the cha pionship.

Three Persons Treated In Local Hospitals

Robert Lowery, 15, Ellerslie, treated in Memorial hospital yes day at 11:45 a. m. from a fractu right ankle suffered, he told taches, when he fell while he riding a bicycle.

James Tewell, 8, of 809 Kentu avenue, was treated in Memo hospital yesterday for a right el injury suffered, he said, when fell Friday evening. X-rays will taken today to determine the ext of injury attaches said.

Carole Ann Williams, 4, of Fulton street, was treated in A gany hospital Saturday aftern for a laceration of the left ch Attaches were told the child hurt when she fell as she was cr ing the street.

Paul Freeland Wins Med

Pfc. Paul E. Freeland, son of and Mrs. Charles J. Freeland, Humbird street, has received Bronze Star for heroic action in Philippines. He is with the med corps, one of a squad of litter be ers who exacuated wounded un fire.

Five-day Wastepaper Drive Opens Today in Cumberland Suburbs

Cumberland's monthly waste paper collection drive will launched today and the section to be visited include LaVale, Bowling Green, Potomac Park, Bedford Road, Baltimore pike and Corriganville.

Emmett A. Dougherty, collector, said that the West Side will be covered tomorrow, North End Wednesday; south of Baltimore street to Oldtown road, Thursday, and the section south of Oldtown road Friday.

Sixteen tons of tin cans were collected here last week in the first drive of that kind since last November.